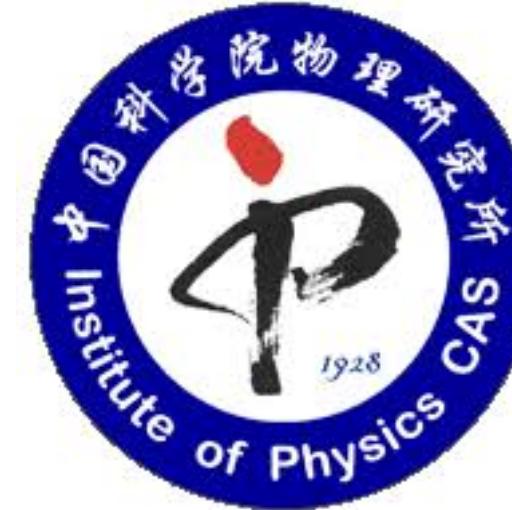


Deep Learning for Computational Scientists

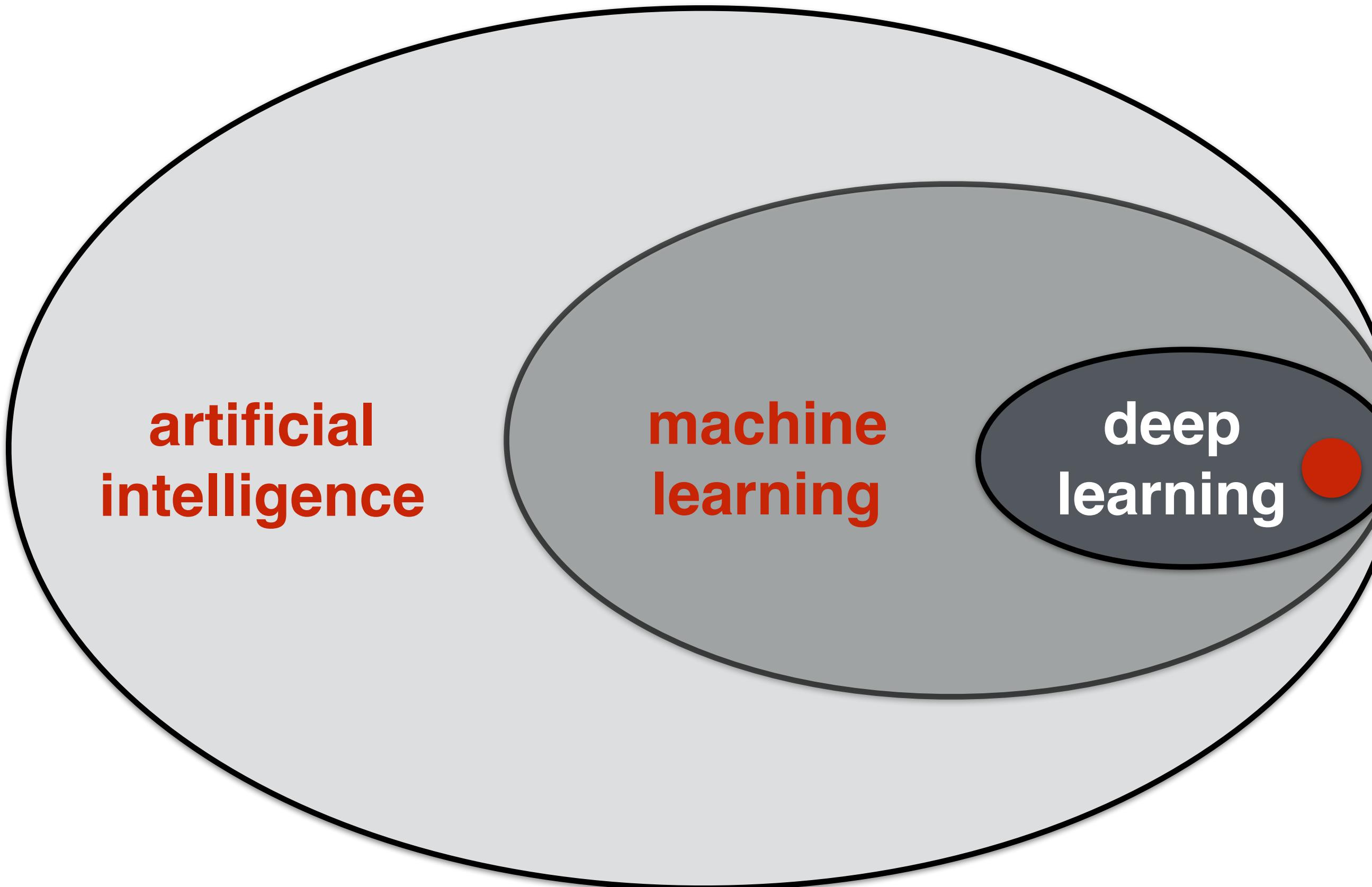
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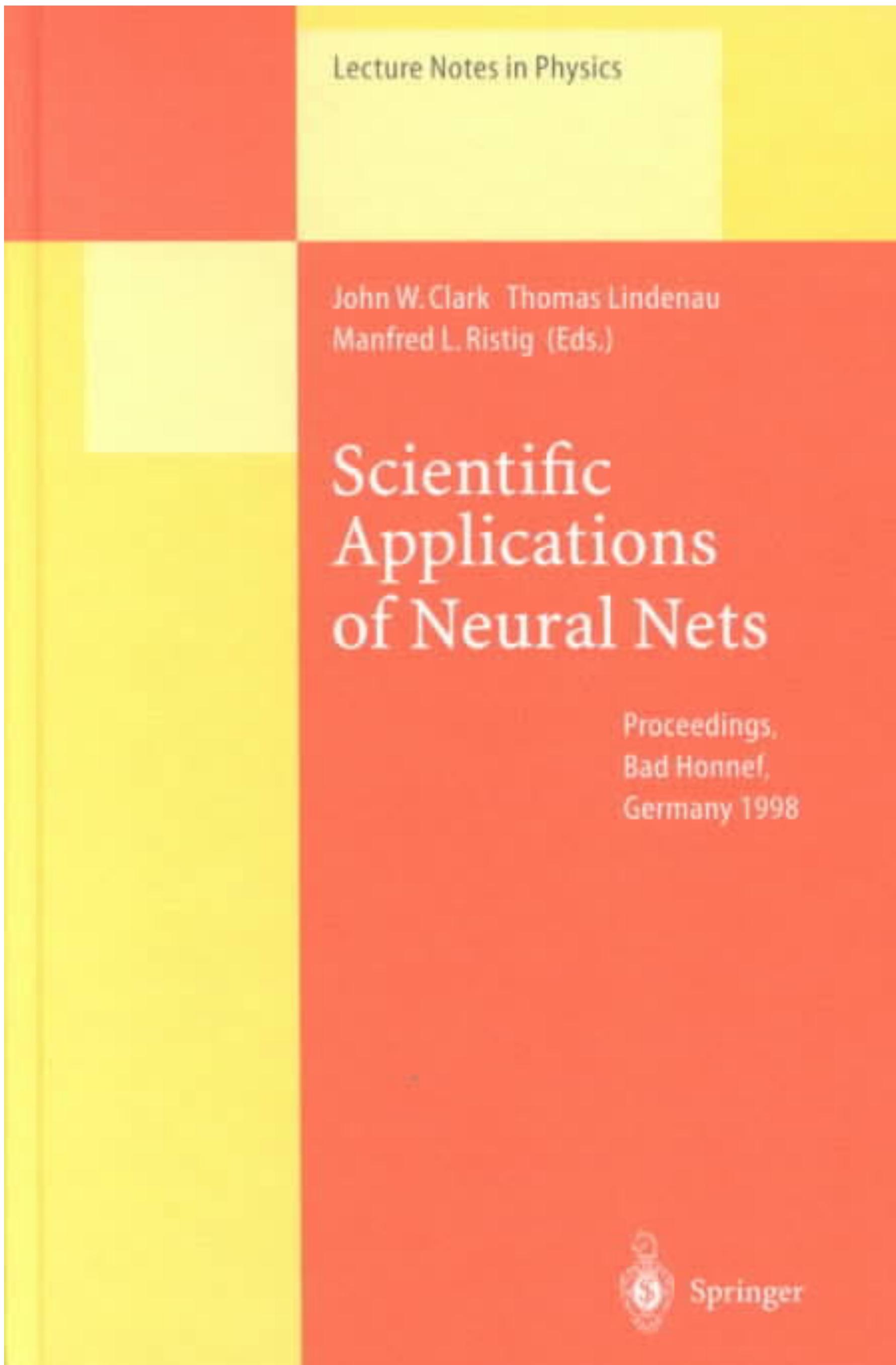
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Why deep learning ?



**Game changing technology for scientific research
especially computational science**



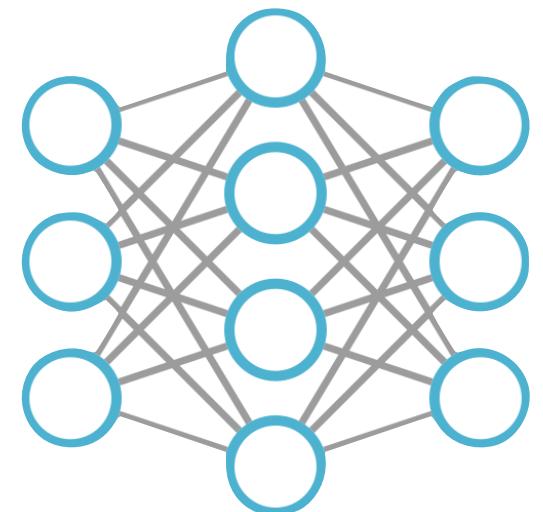
Gem in between this and last hype cycles

8 Doing Science With Neural Nets: Pride and Prejudice

When neural networks re-emerged on the scene in the mid-80s as a new and glamorous computational paradigm, the initial reaction in some sectors of the scientific community was perhaps too enthusiastic and not sufficiently critical. There was a tendency on the part of practitioners to oversell the powers of neural-network or “connectionist” solutions relative to conventional techniques – where conventional techniques can include both traditional theory-rich modeling and established statistical methods. The last five years have seen a correction phase, as some of the practical limitations of neural-network approaches have become apparent, and as scientists have become better acquainted with the wide array of advanced statistical tools that are currently available.

Why now, again ?
[What has changed ?](#)
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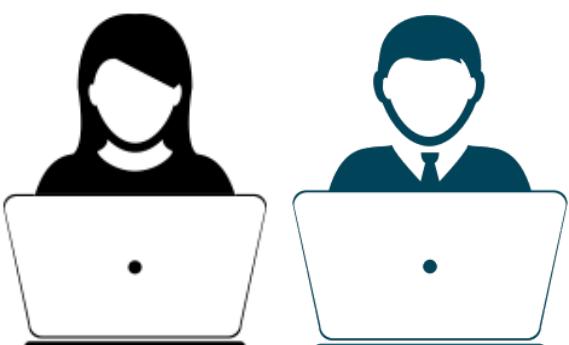
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Hitchhiker's guide to deep learning



Secrets behind deep learning

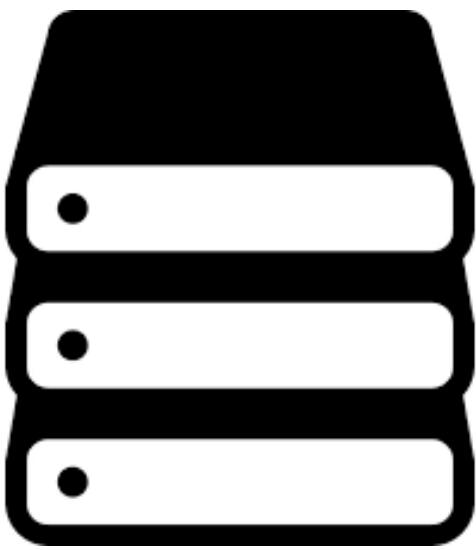


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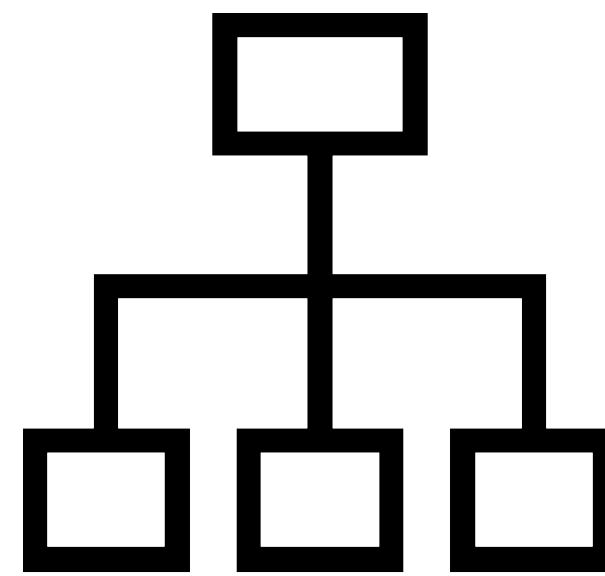
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Key components

Data



Model



Cost function

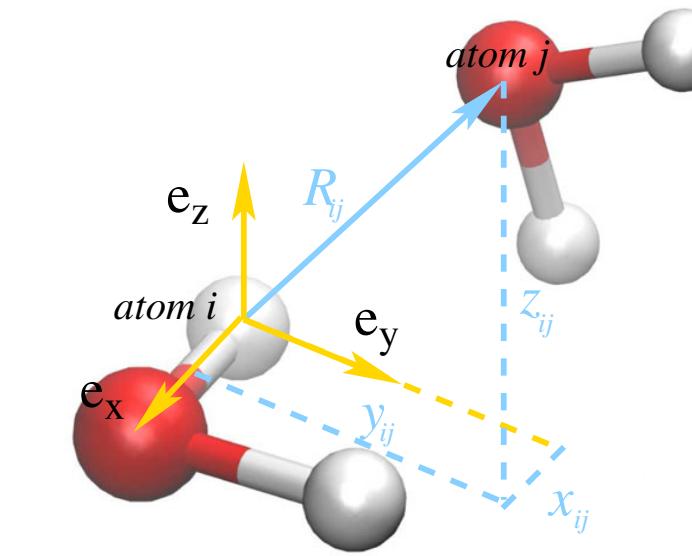
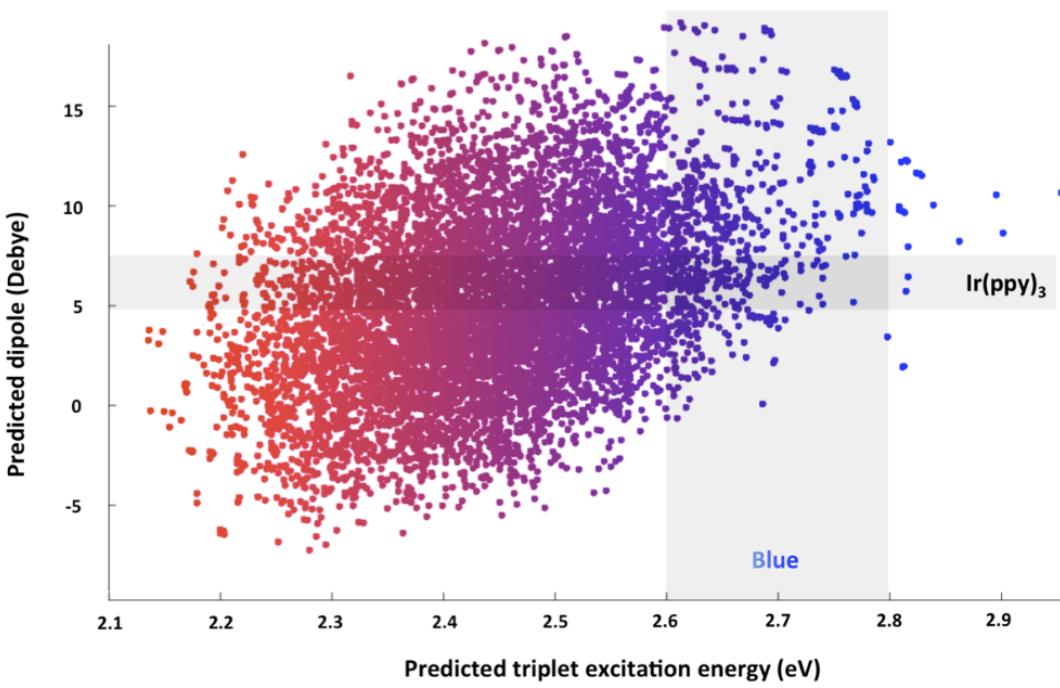


Optimization

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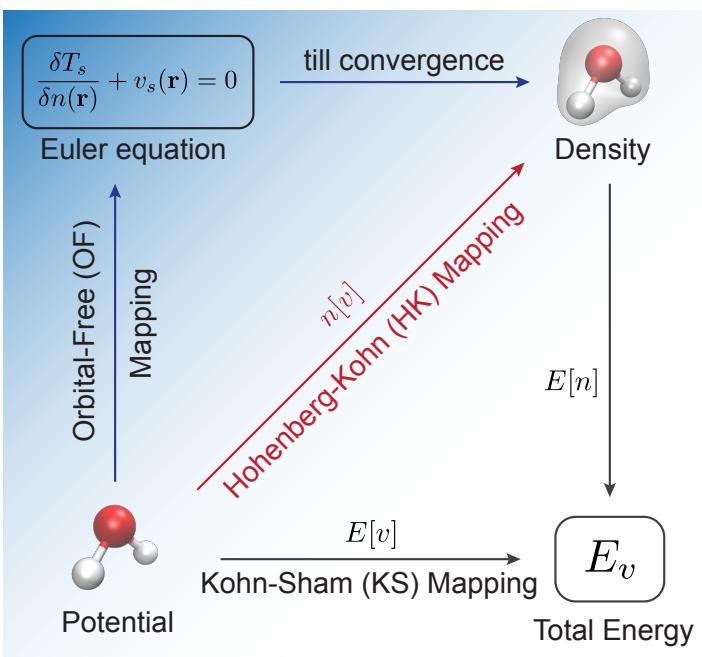
Switch to blackboard

Some applications

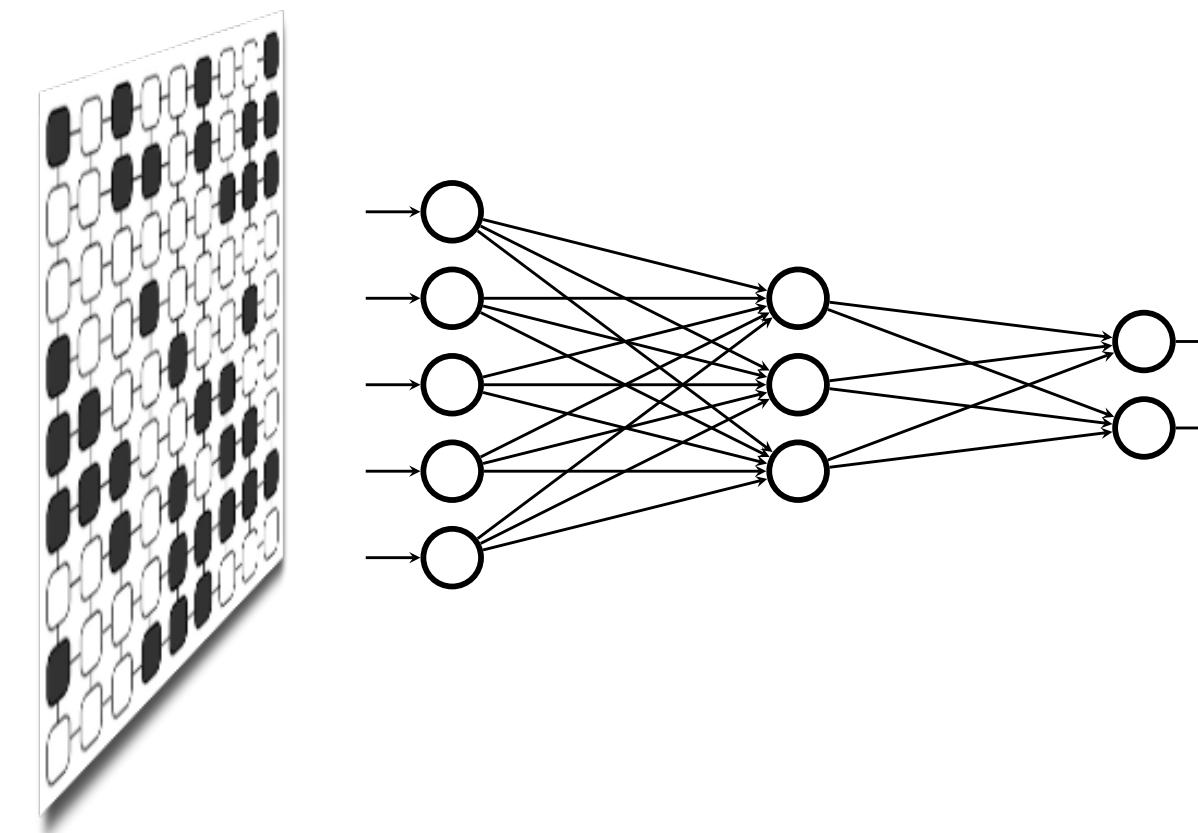


Materials informatics

Molecular simulation

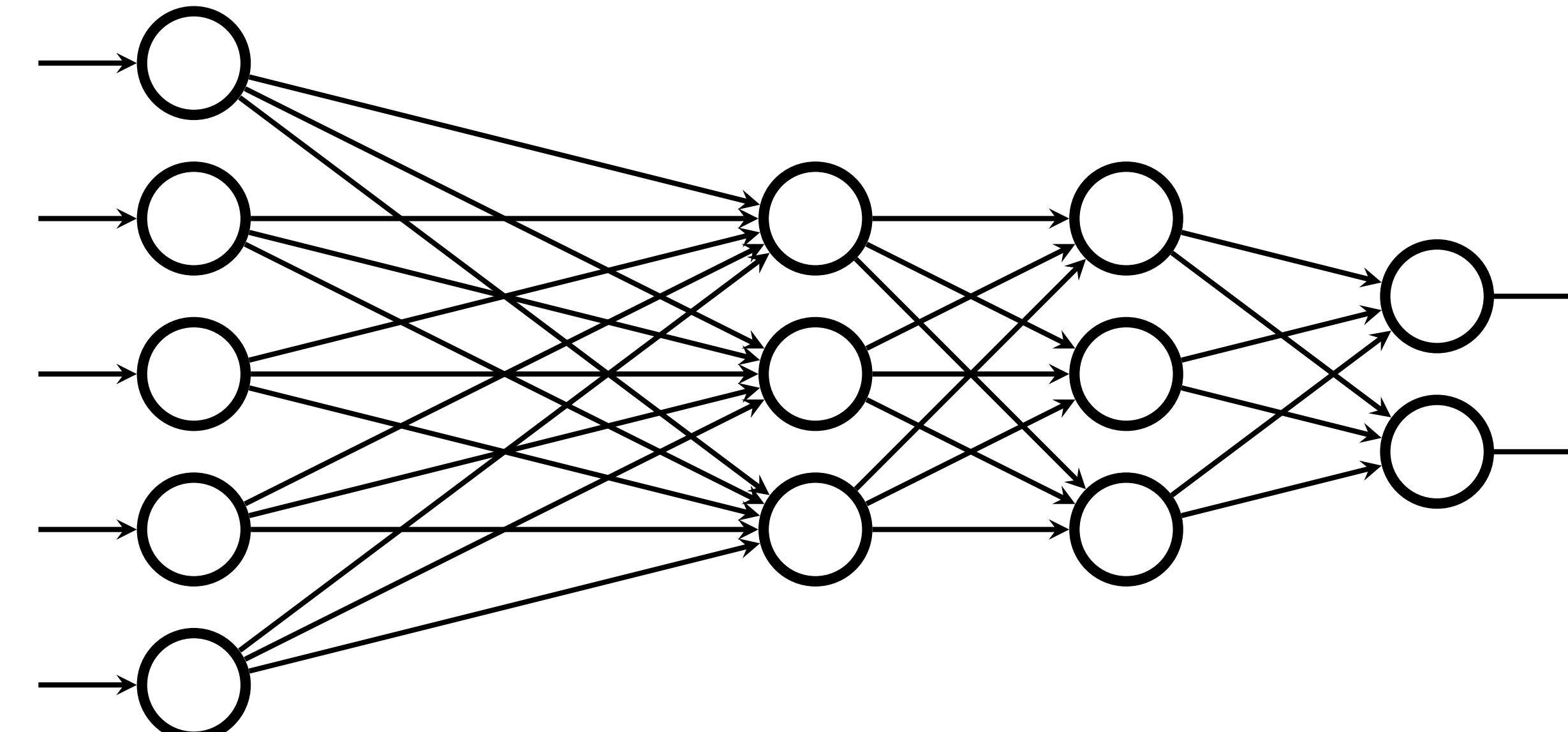
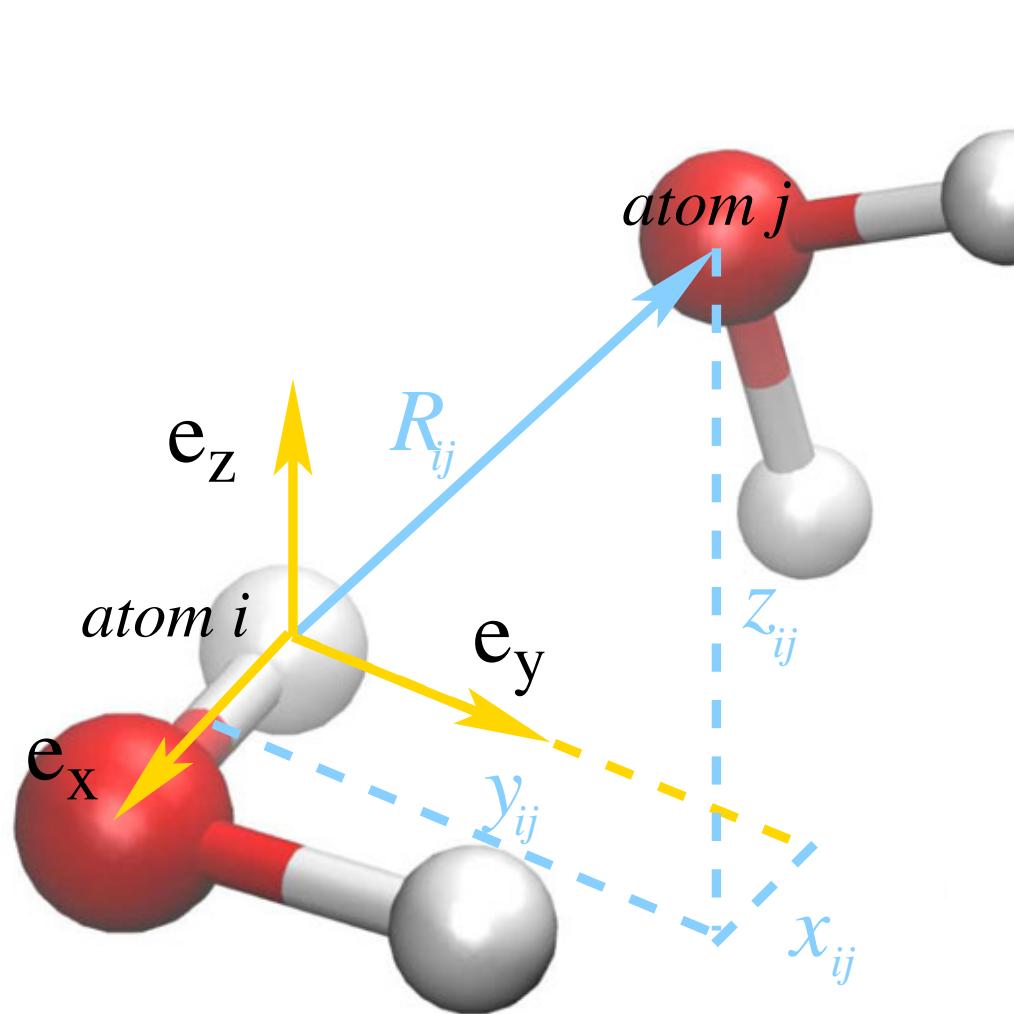


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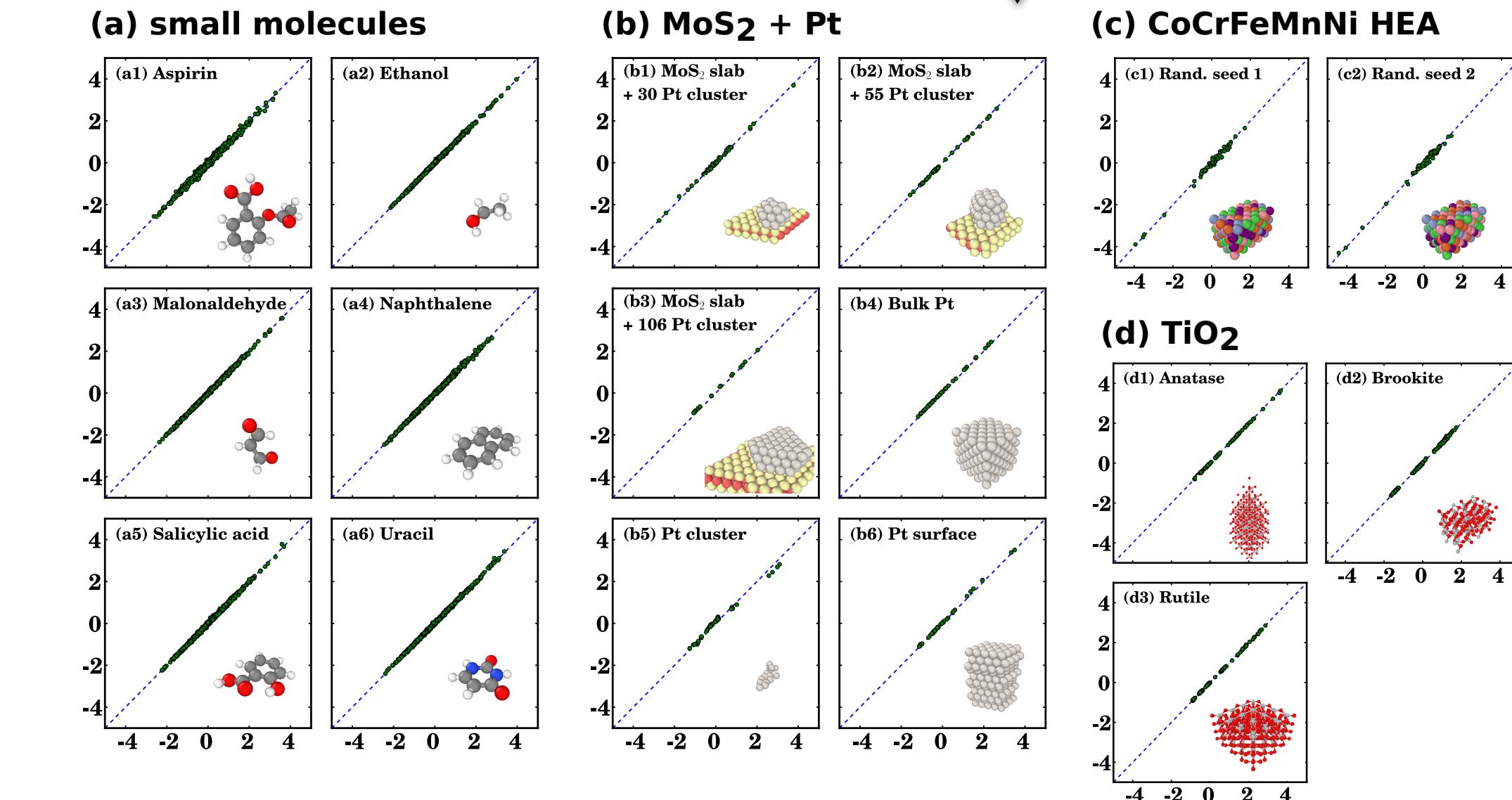


“Phase” recognition

Machine learning energy potential



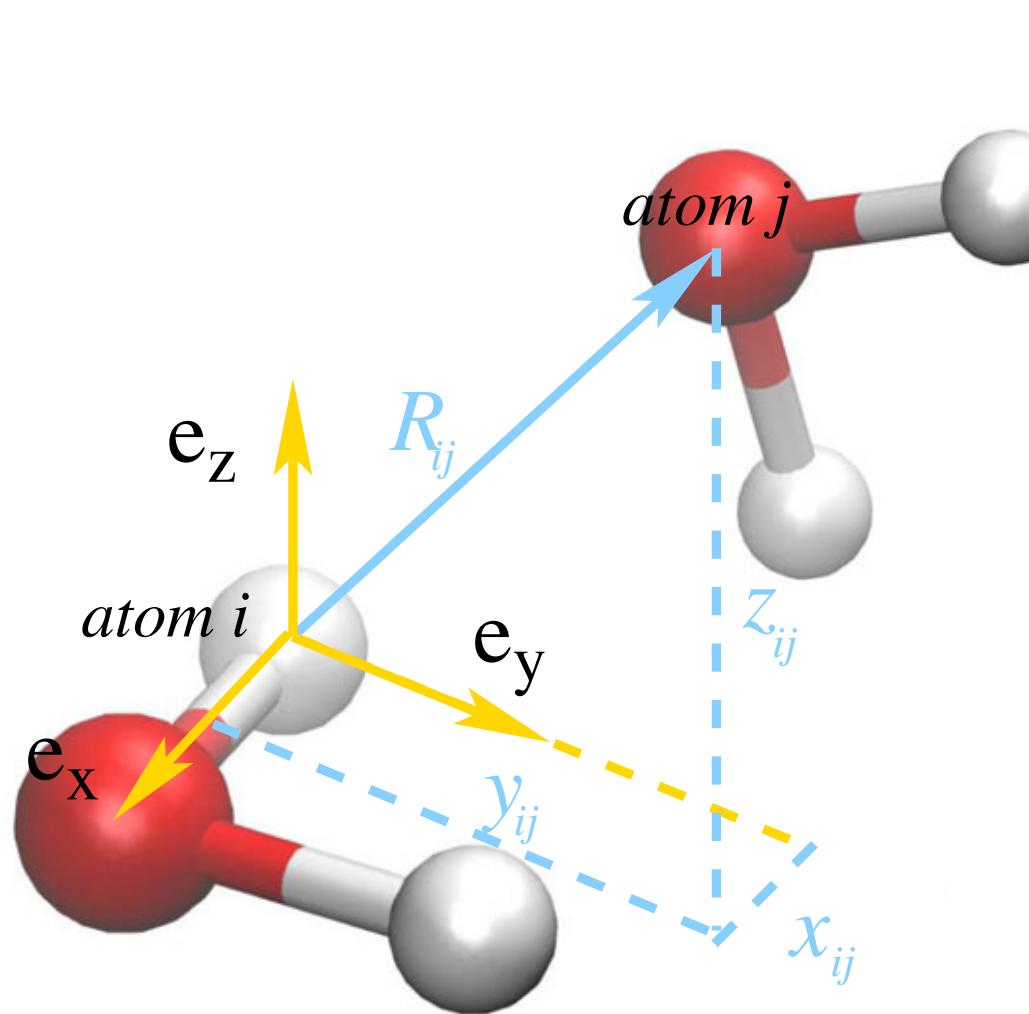
energy, force...



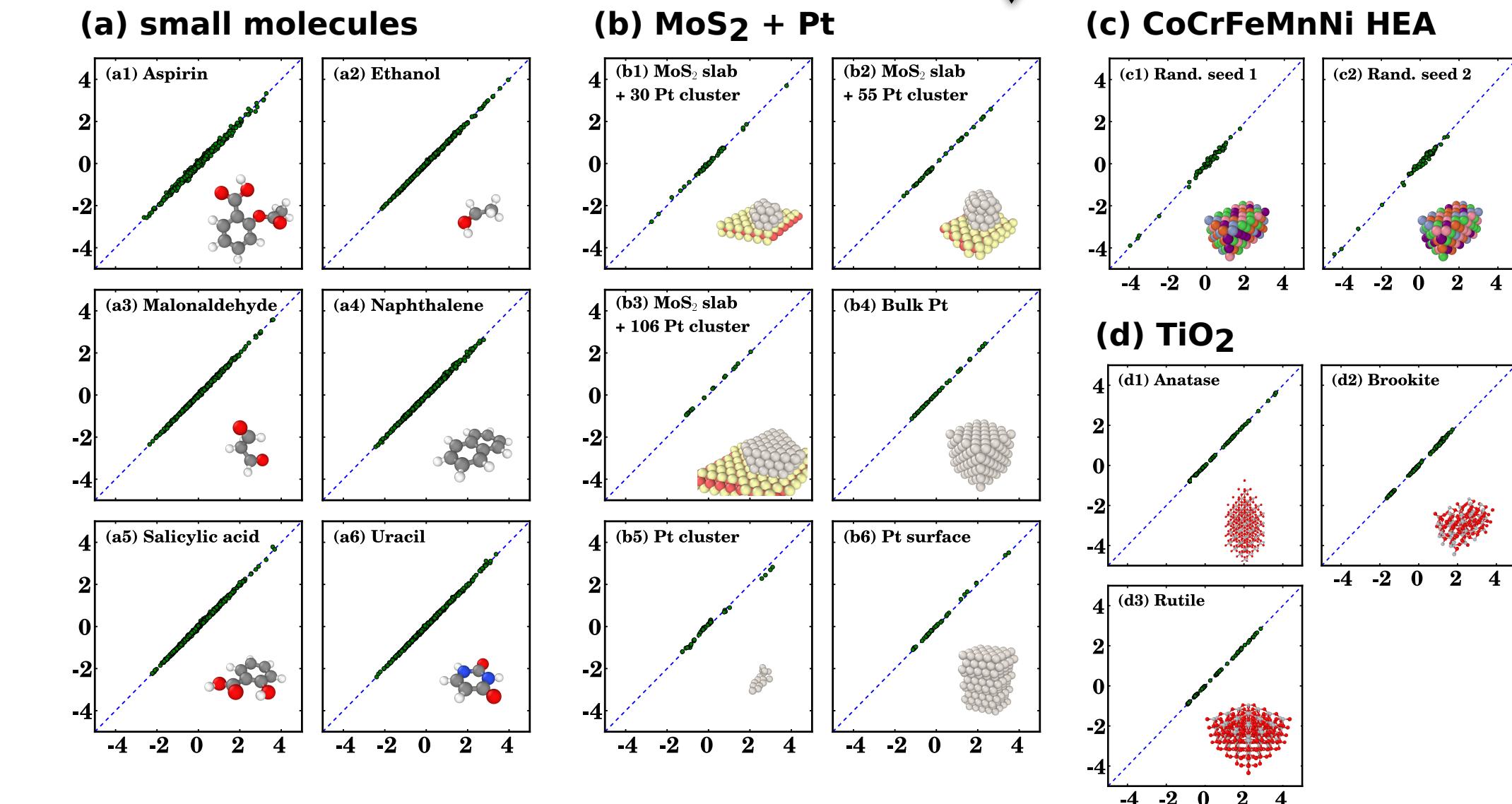
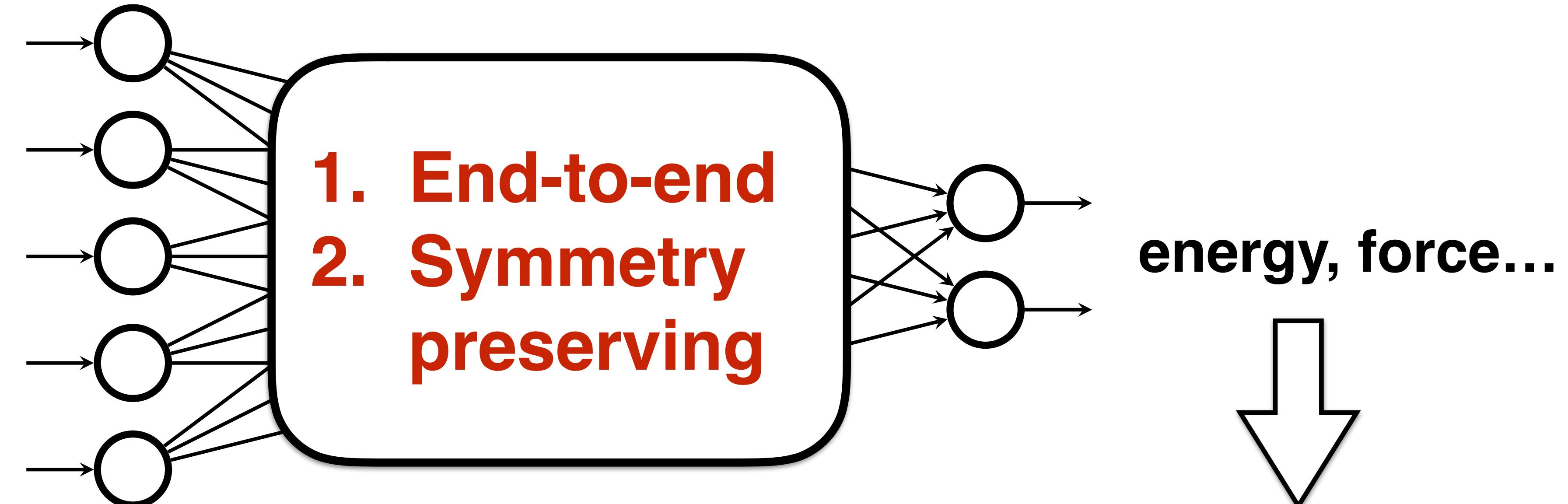
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**Atom species,
position...**

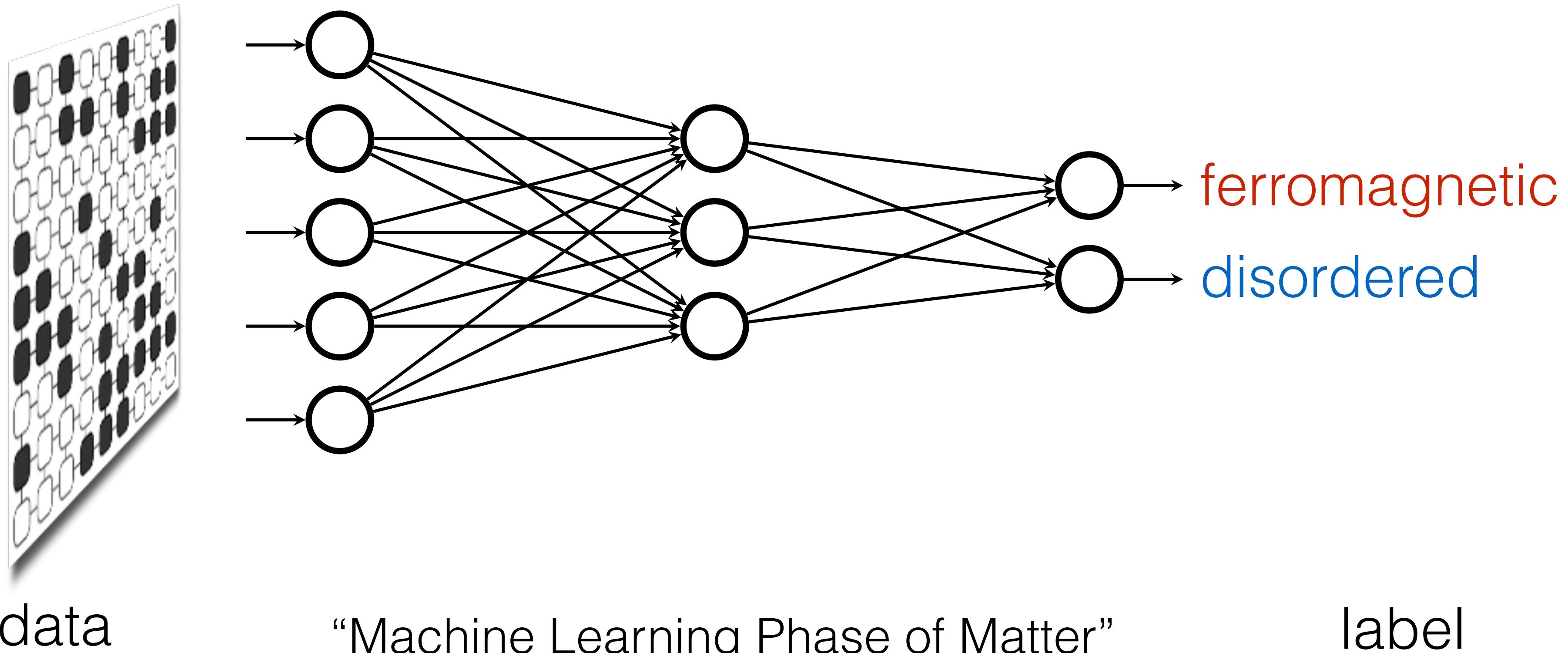


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Phase classifications

Ising configurations



Carrasquilla and Melko, 1605.01735

+ many more on quantum spins, fermions, disordered,
topological systems ...

Deep learning is more than function fitting



Discriminative

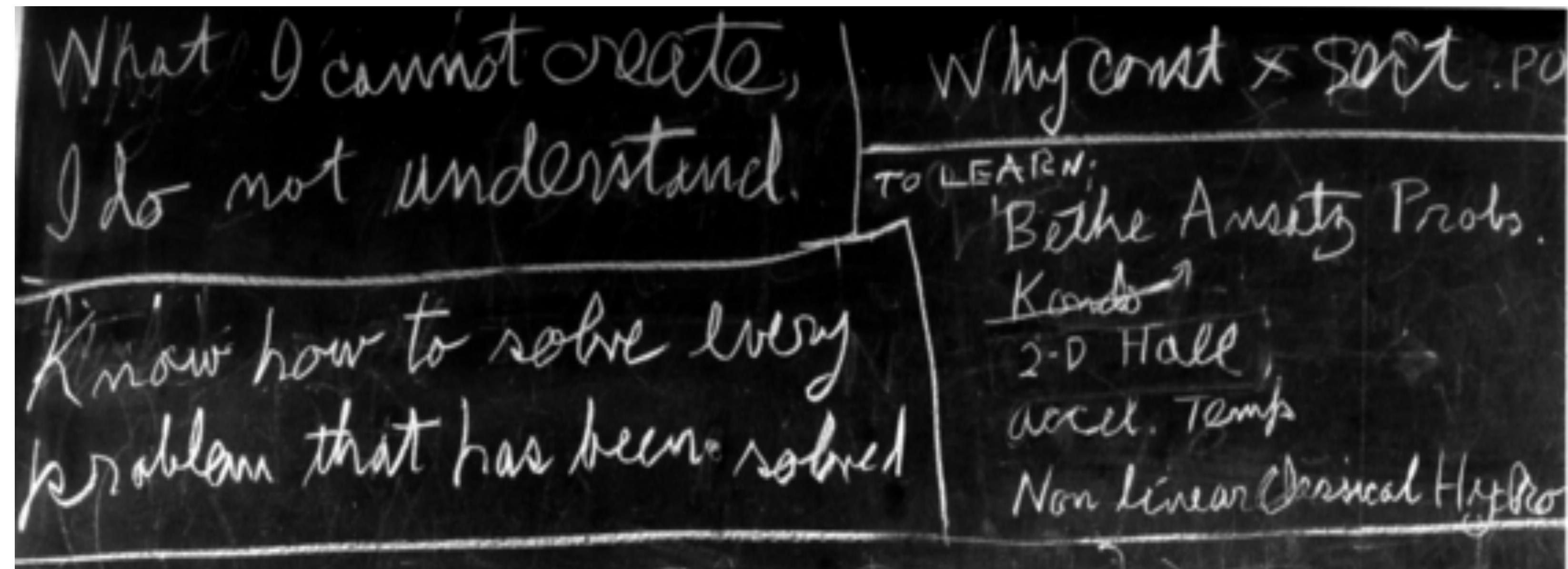
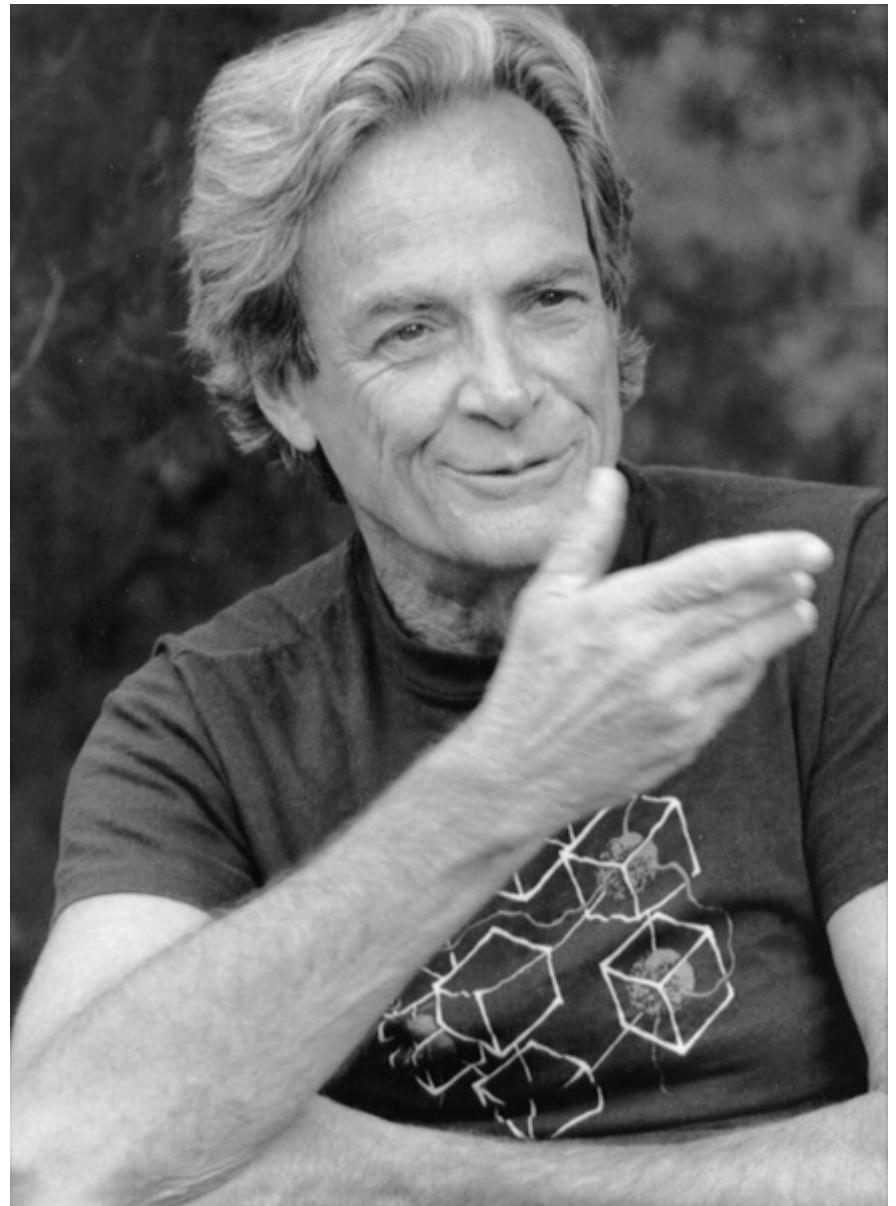
$$y = f(x) \text{ or } p(y | x)$$



Generative

$$p(x, y)$$

Deep learning is more than function fitting



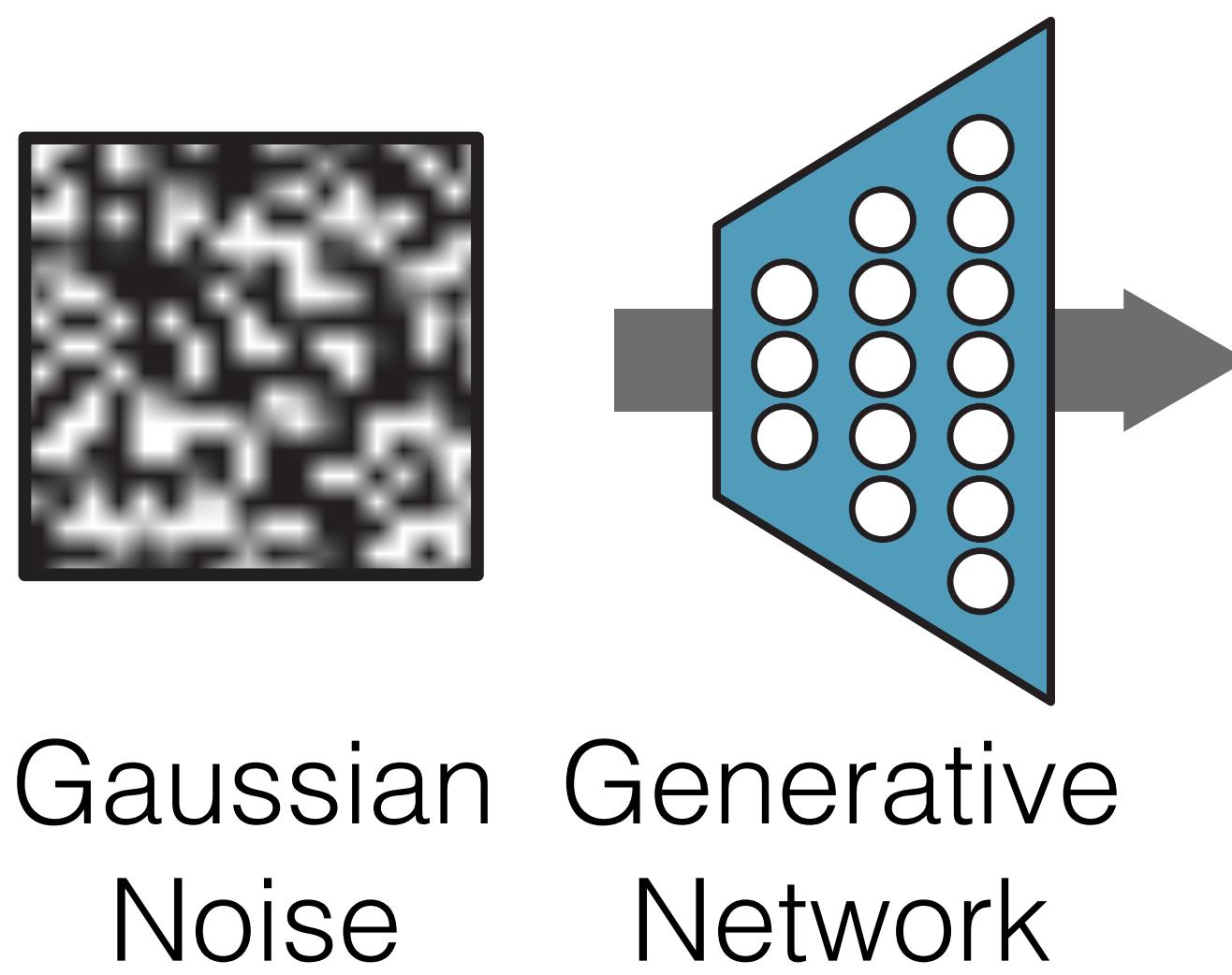
“What I can not create, I do not understand”

Generated Arts

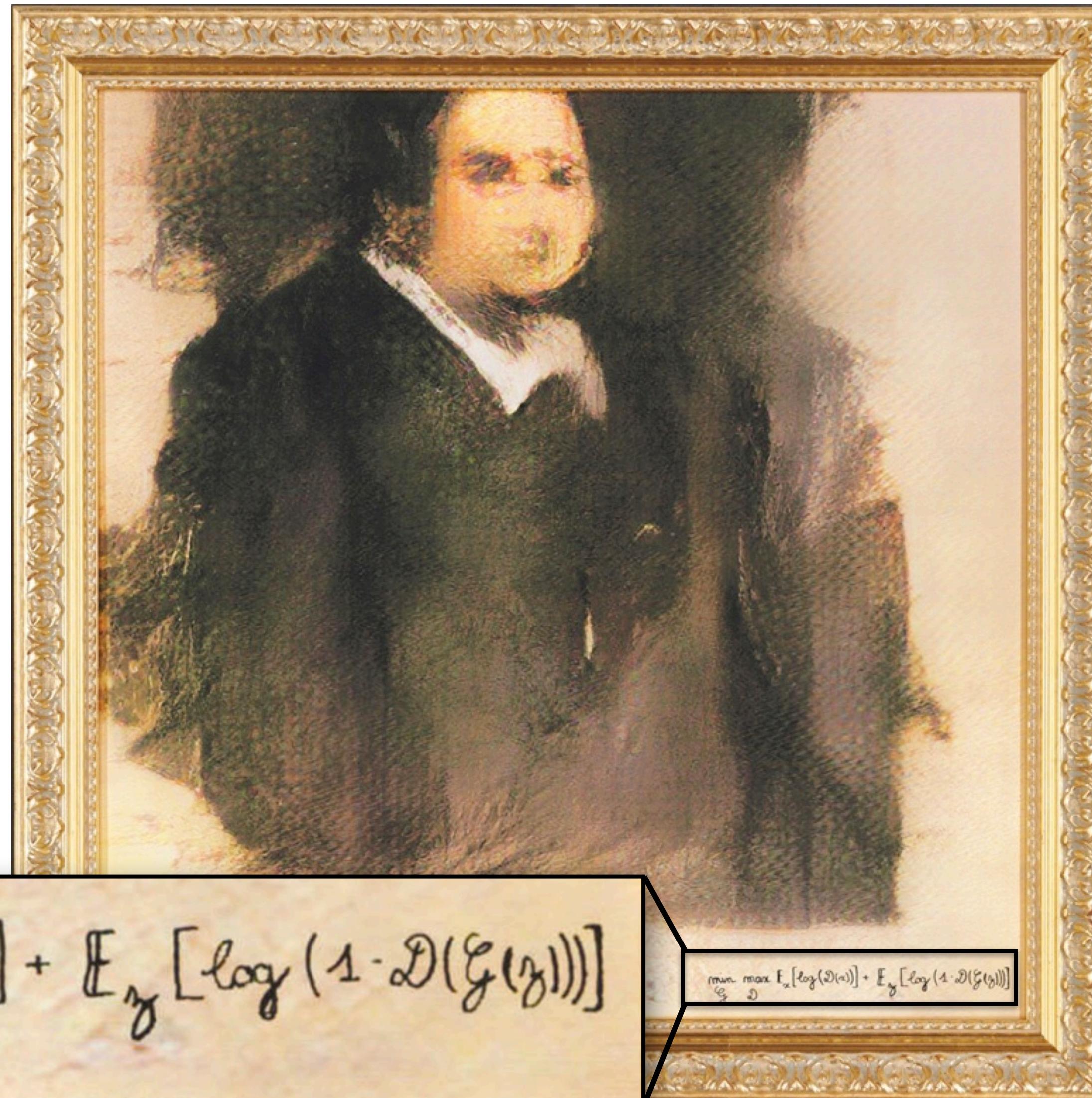


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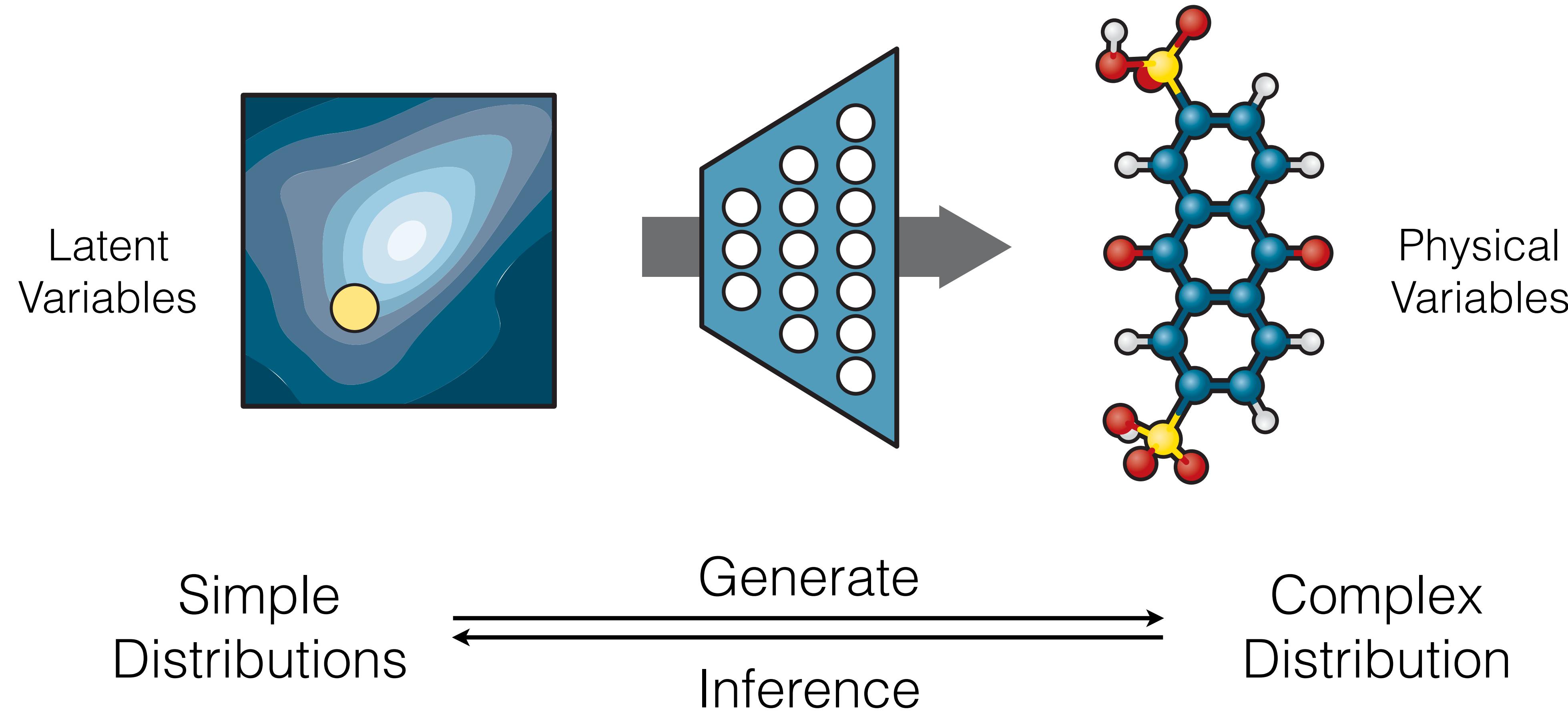
Gaussian Noise Generative Network



$$\min_{\mathcal{G}} \max_{\mathcal{D}} \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{x}} [\log(\mathcal{D}(\mathbf{x}))] + \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{z}} [\log(1 - \mathcal{D}(\mathcal{G}(\mathbf{z})))]$$

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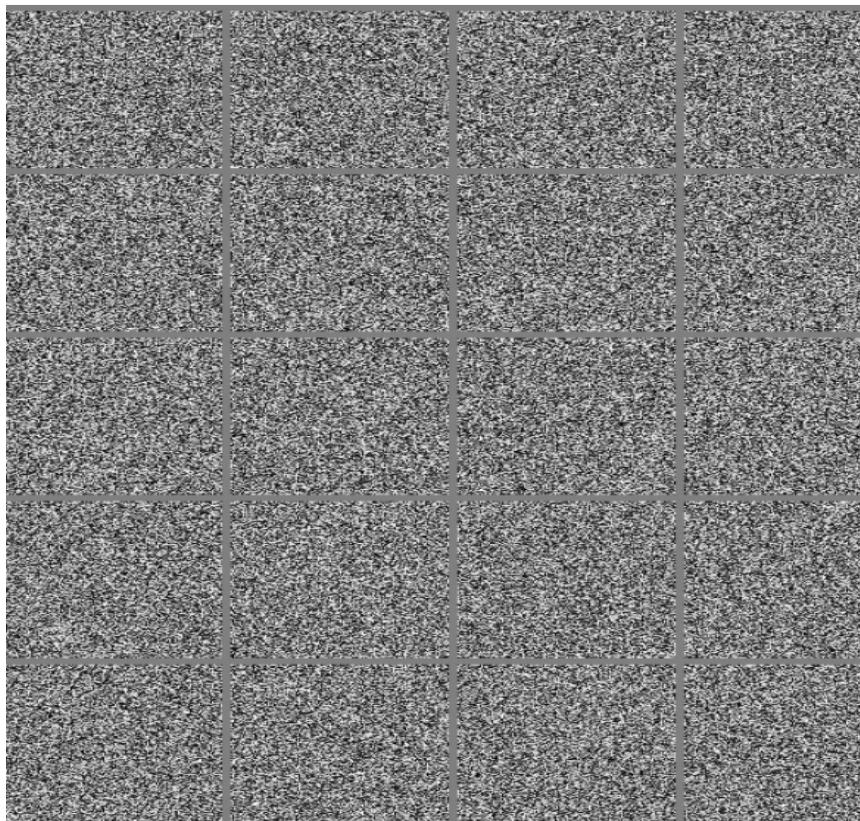
Generate Molecules



Probabilistic Generative Modeling

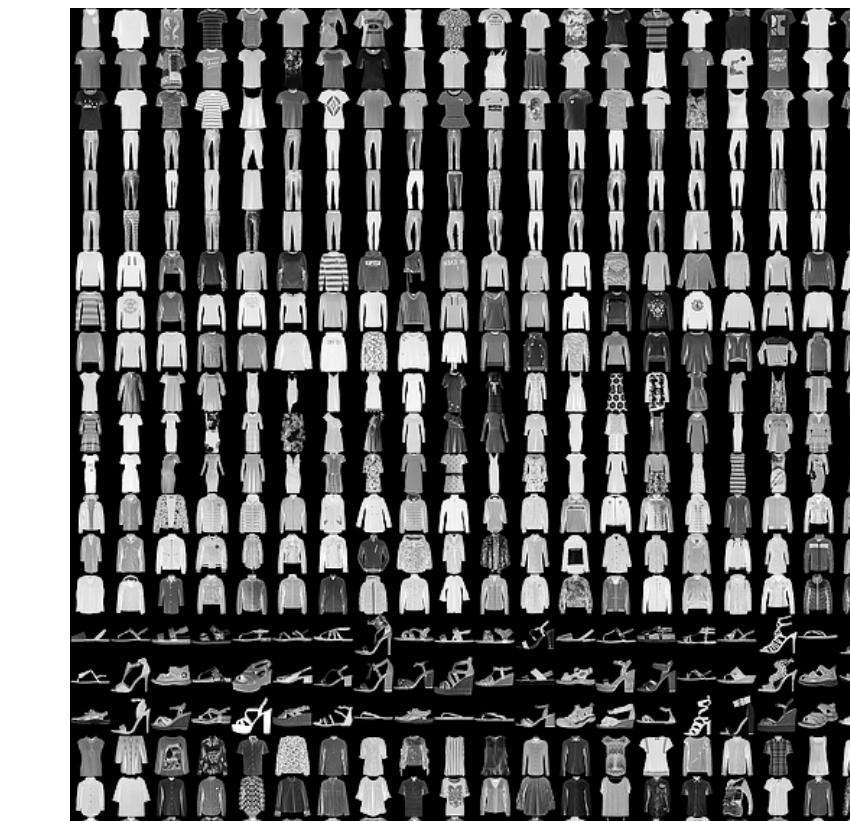
$$p(x)$$

How to express, learn, and sample from a high-dimensional probability distribution ?



“random” images

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“natural” images

Probabilistic modeling

How to
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DEEP LEARNING

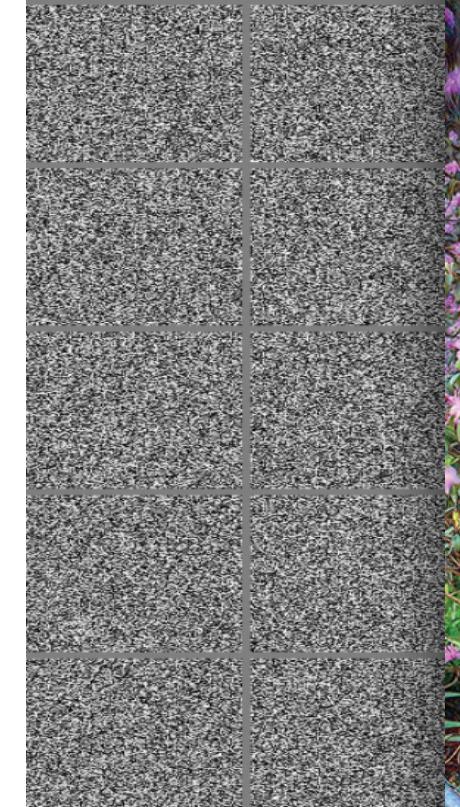
Ian Goodfellow, Yoshua Bengio,
and Aaron Courville

from a
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*“... the images encountered in
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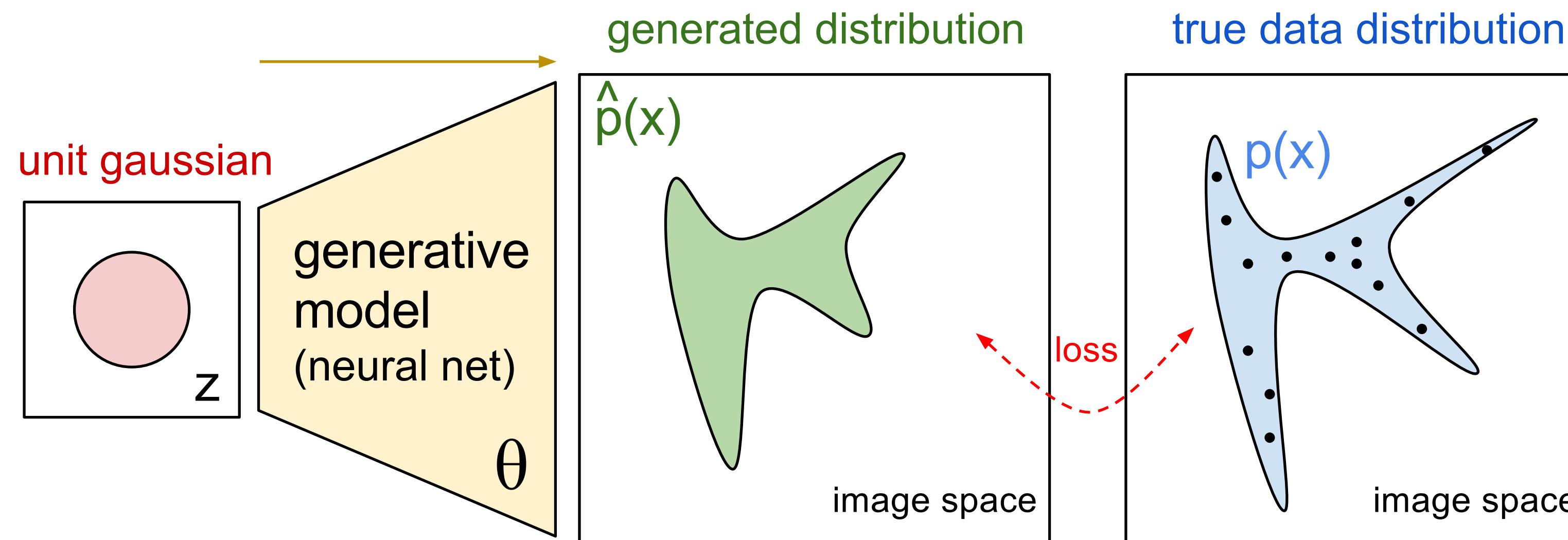
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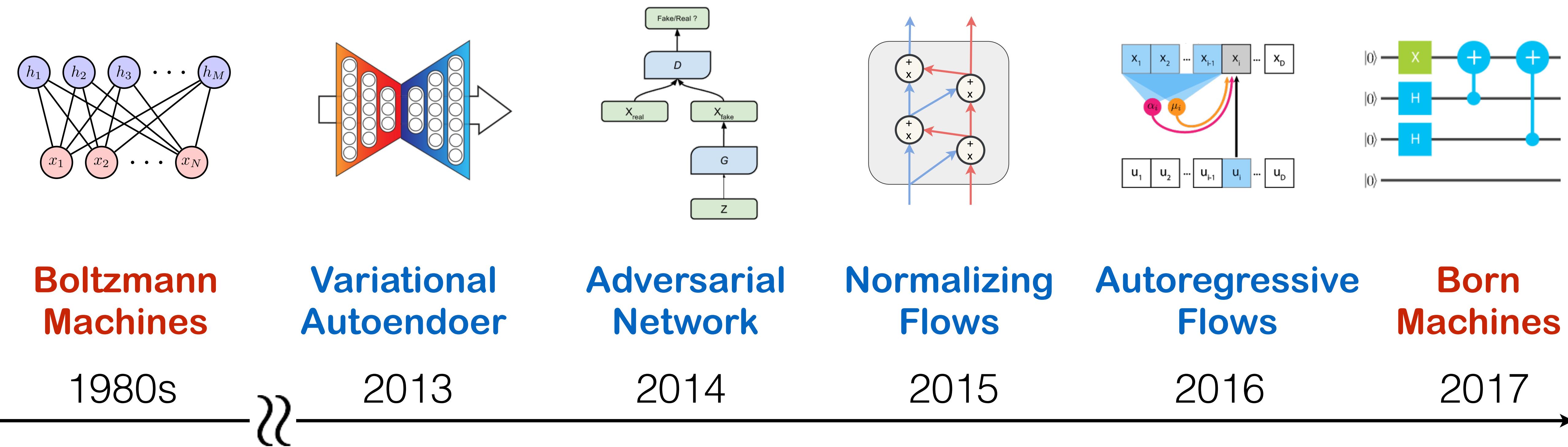
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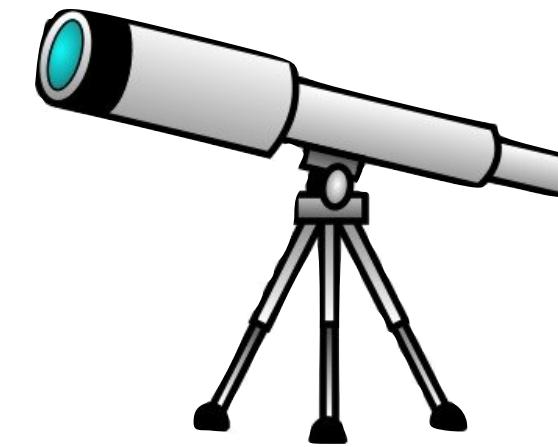


- ① **Leverage the power of modern generative models for physics**
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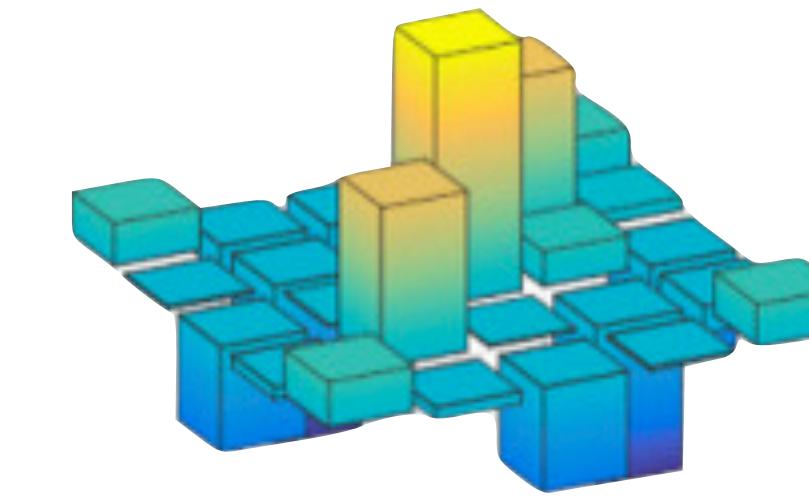
Application of generative models

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Variational ansatz



Renormalization group

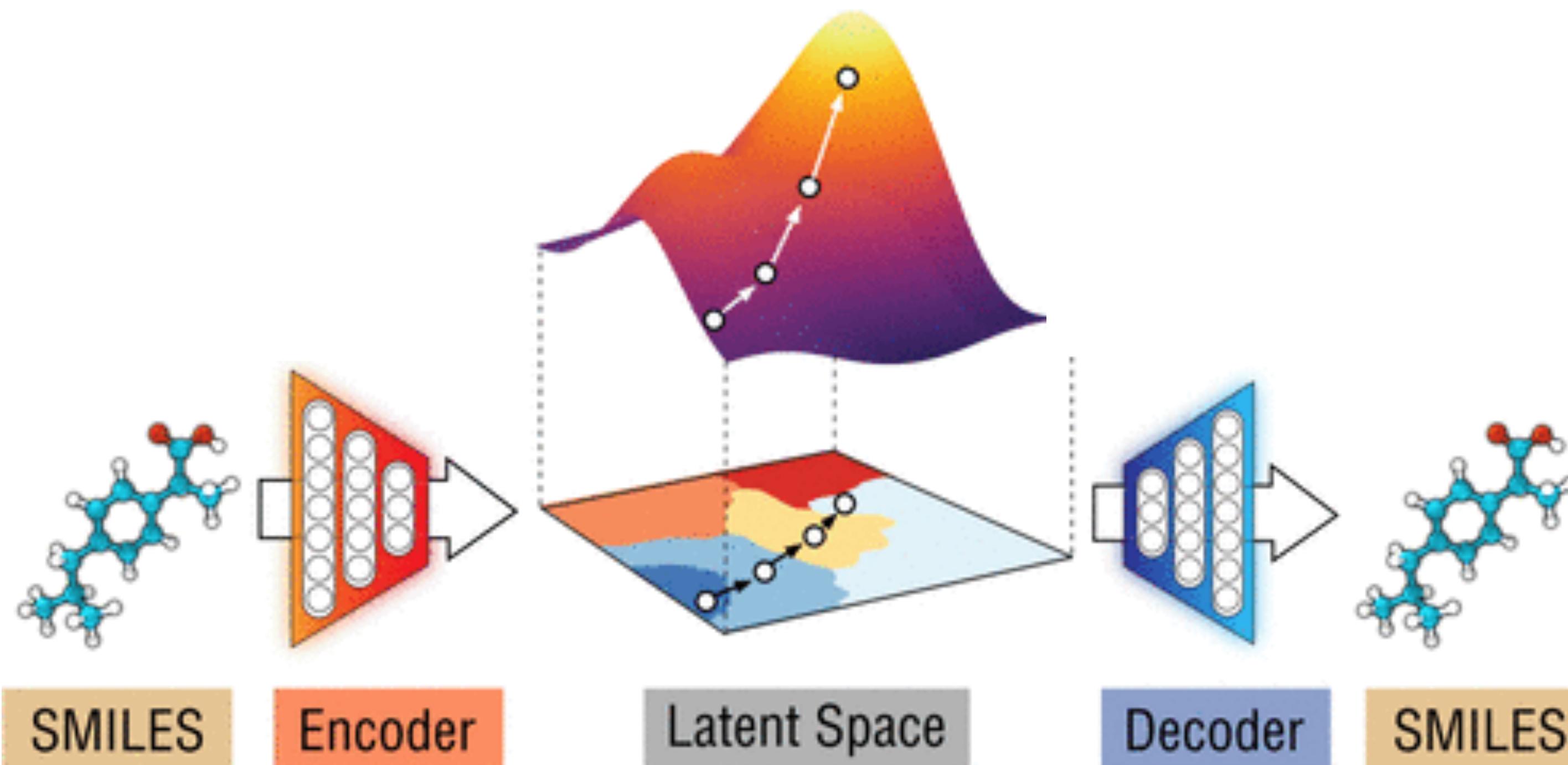


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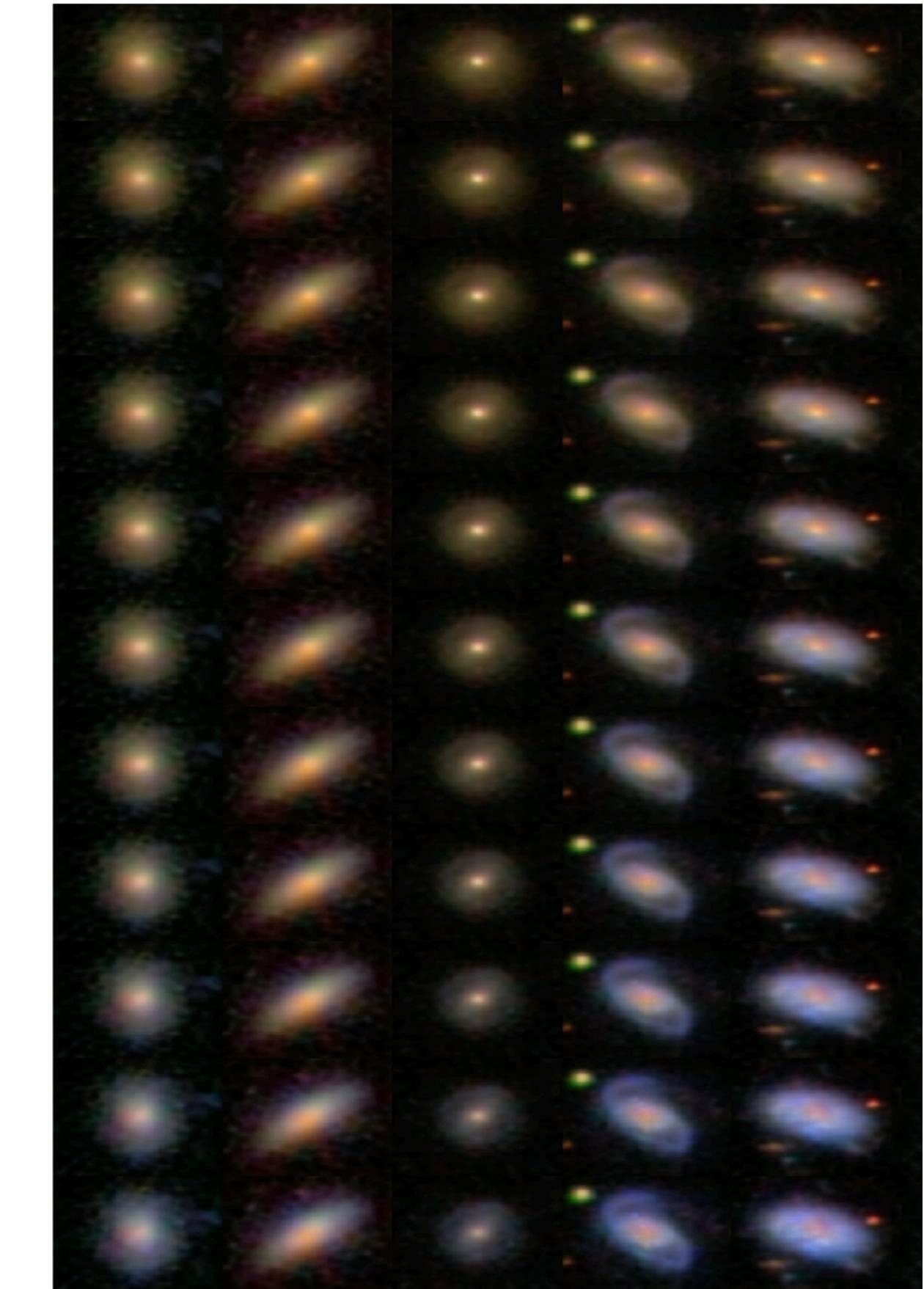


Monte Carlo update

Application of generative models

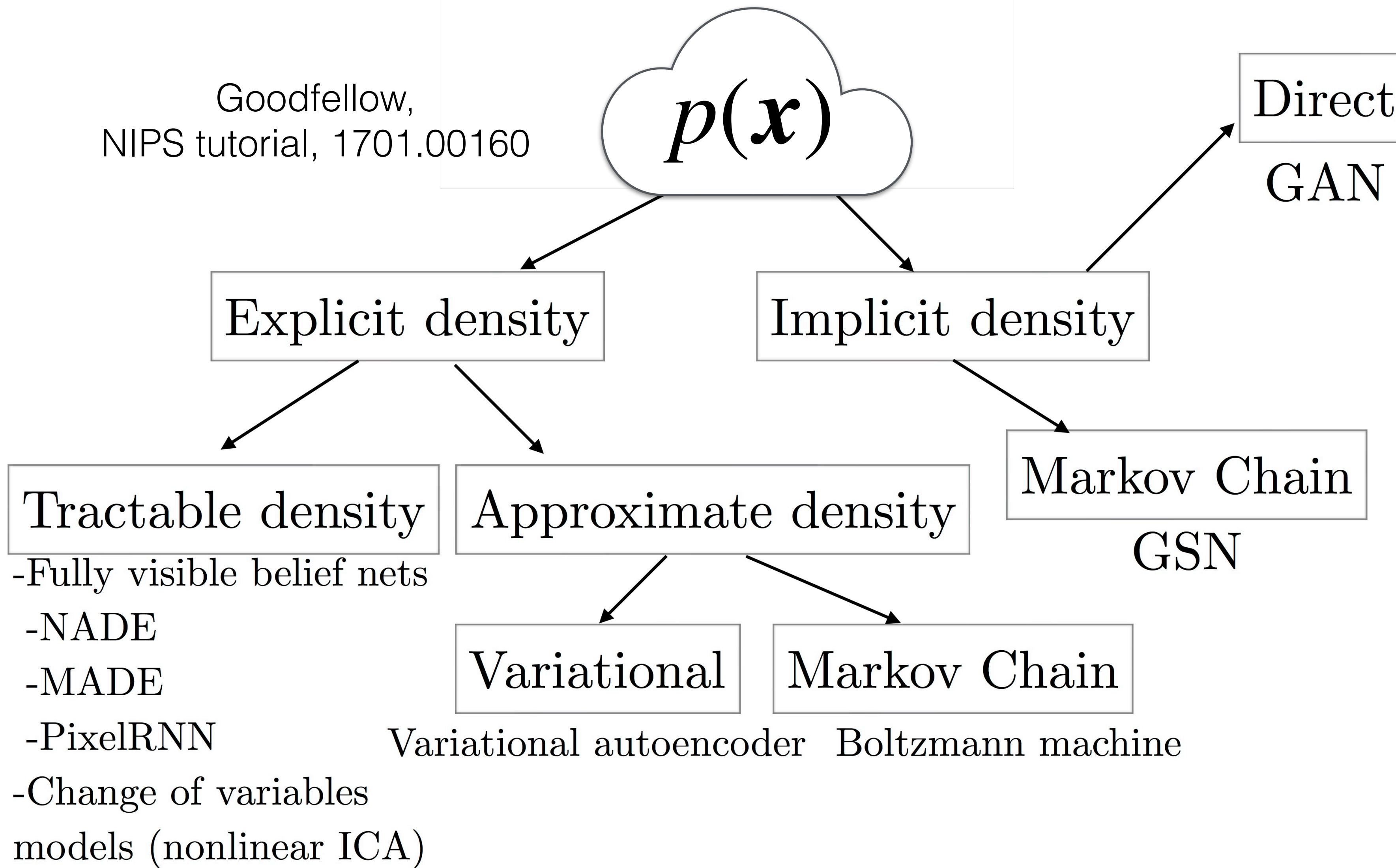


Automatic chemical design,
Gomez-Bombarelli et al, 1610.02415

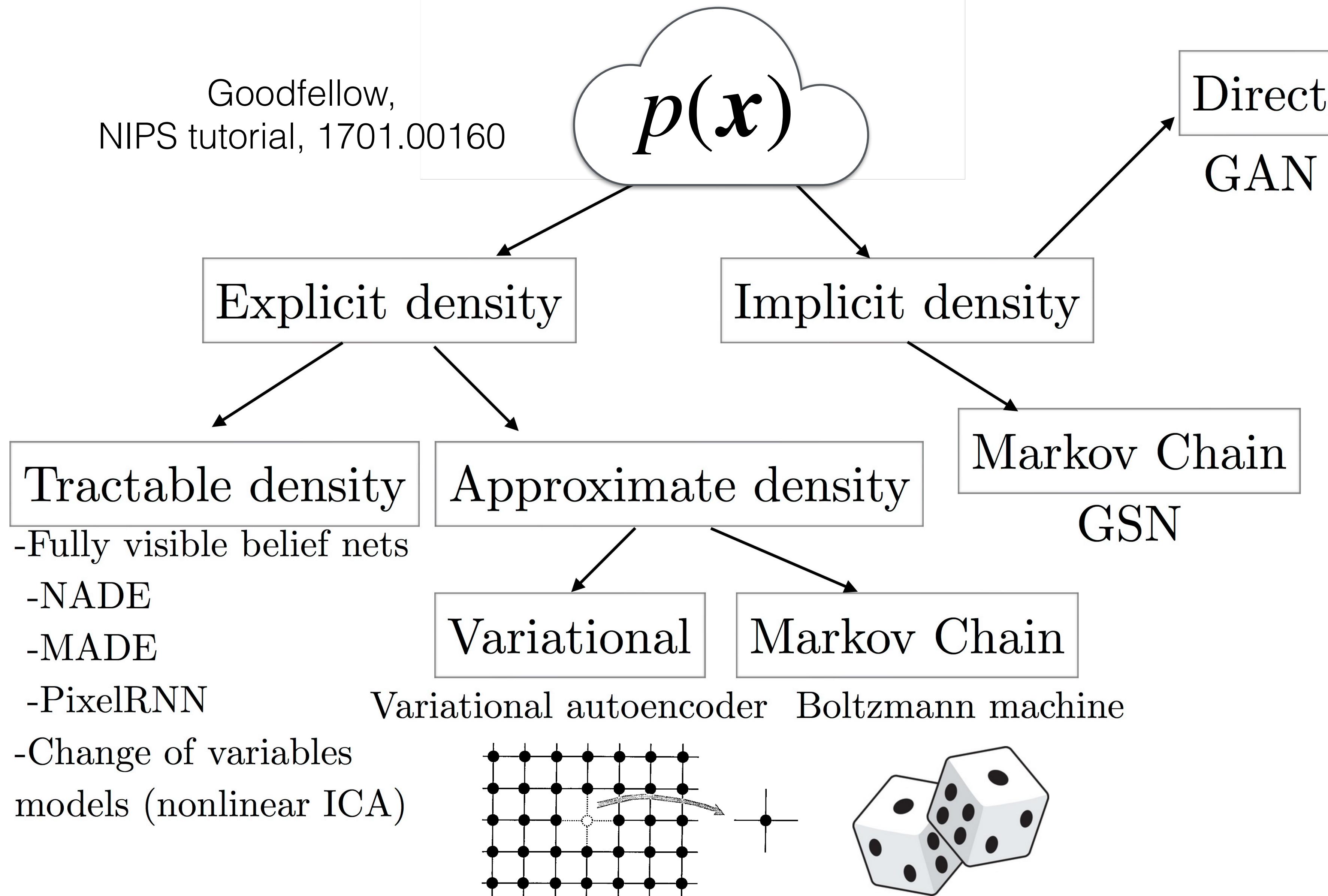


Galaxy evolution
Schawinski et al, unpublished

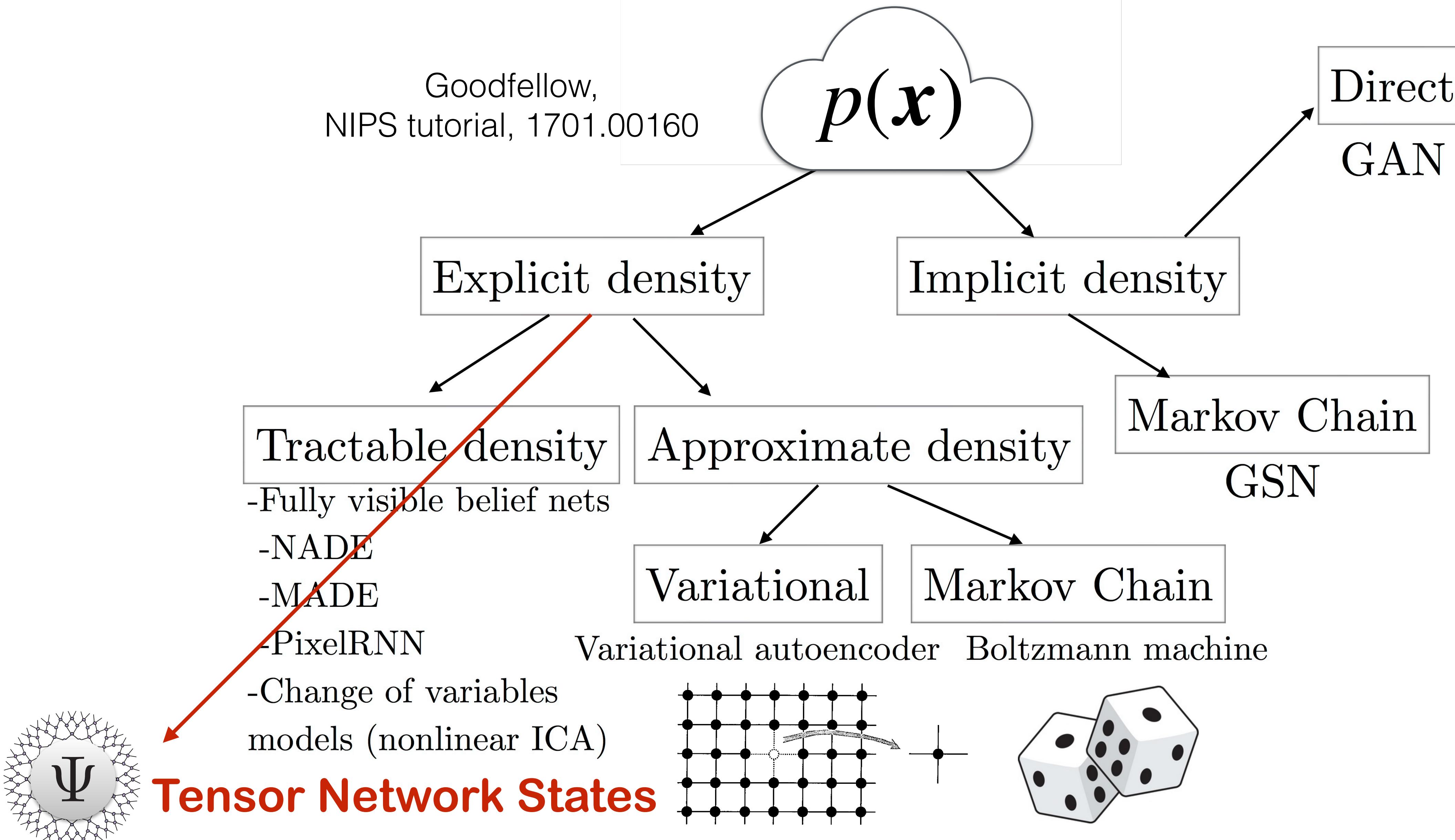
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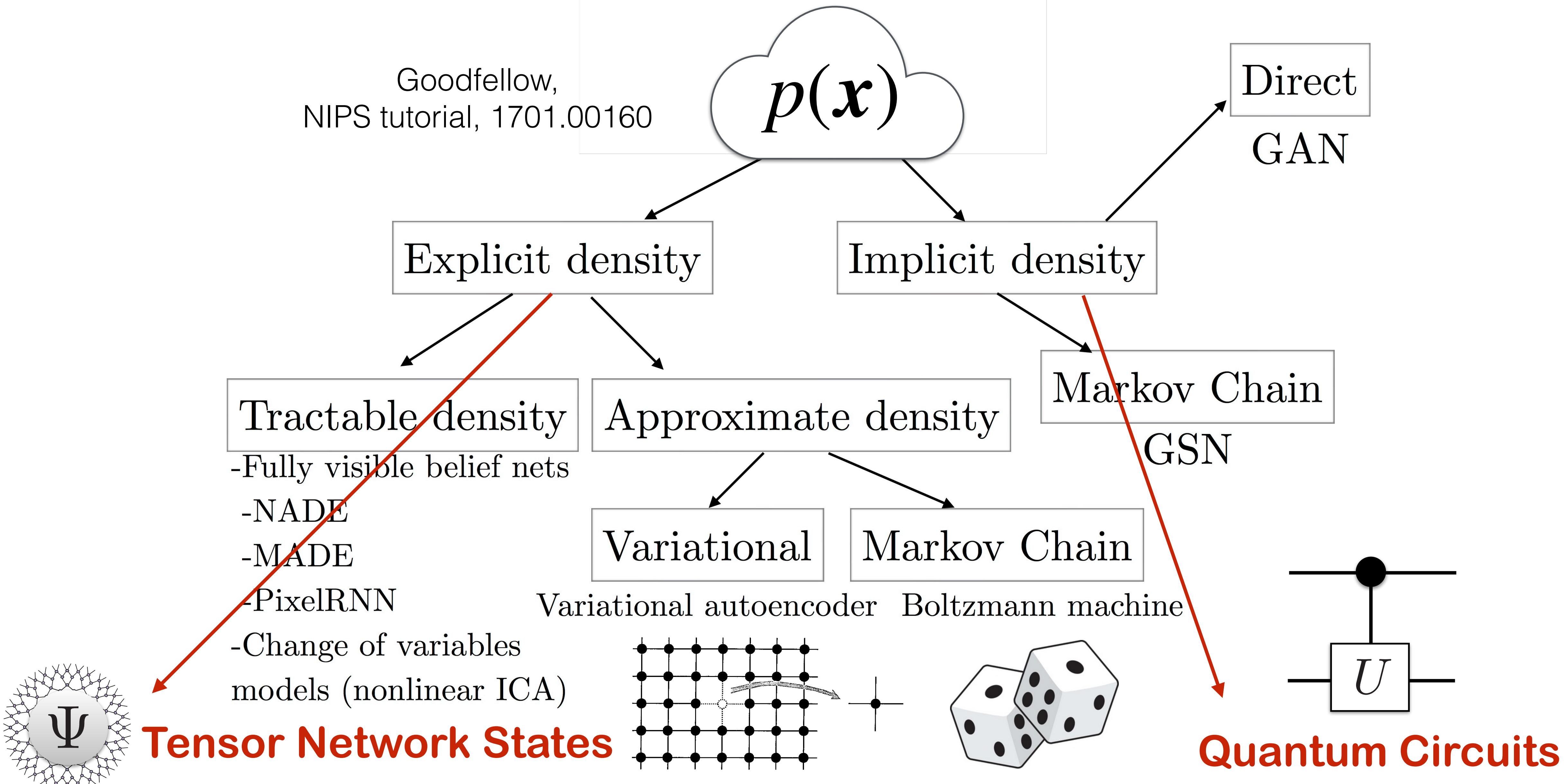
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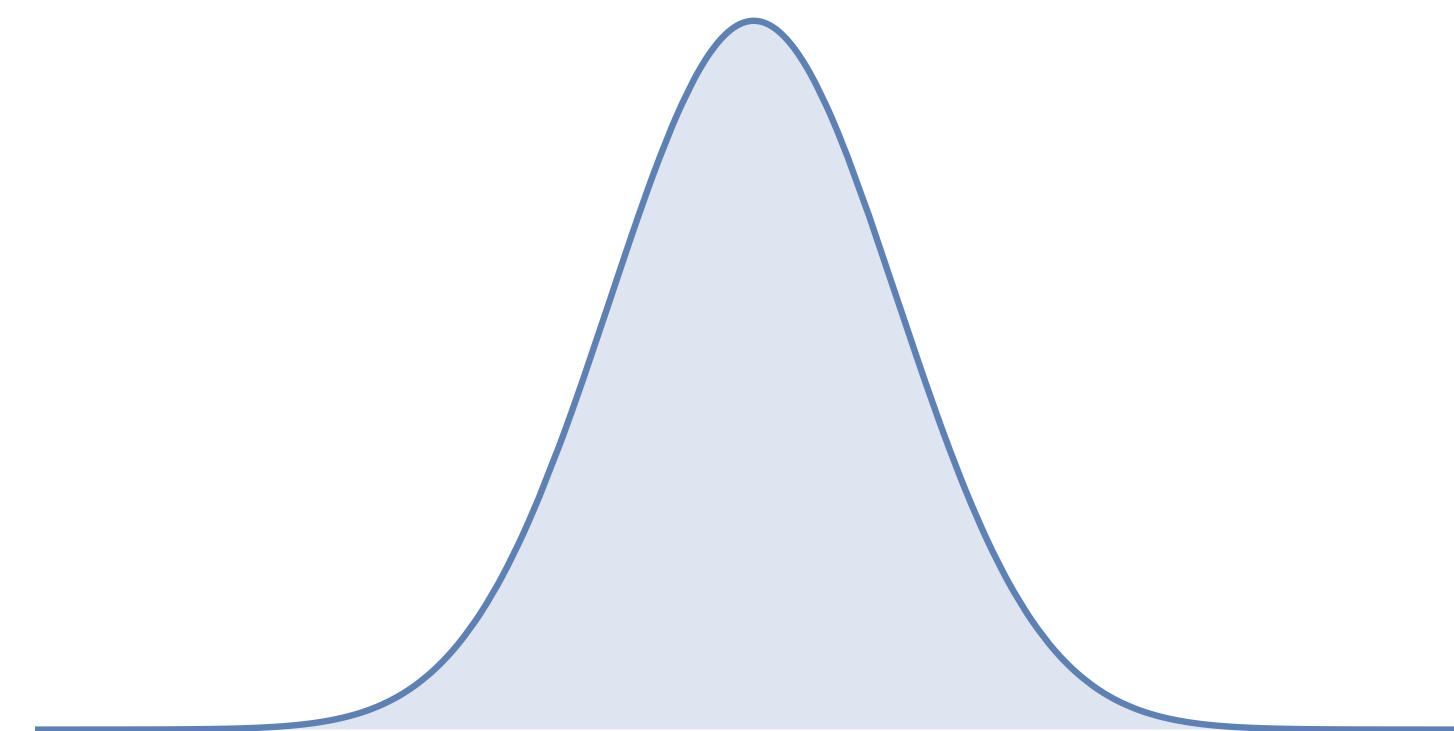
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Monge-Ampère equation
in optimal transport theory

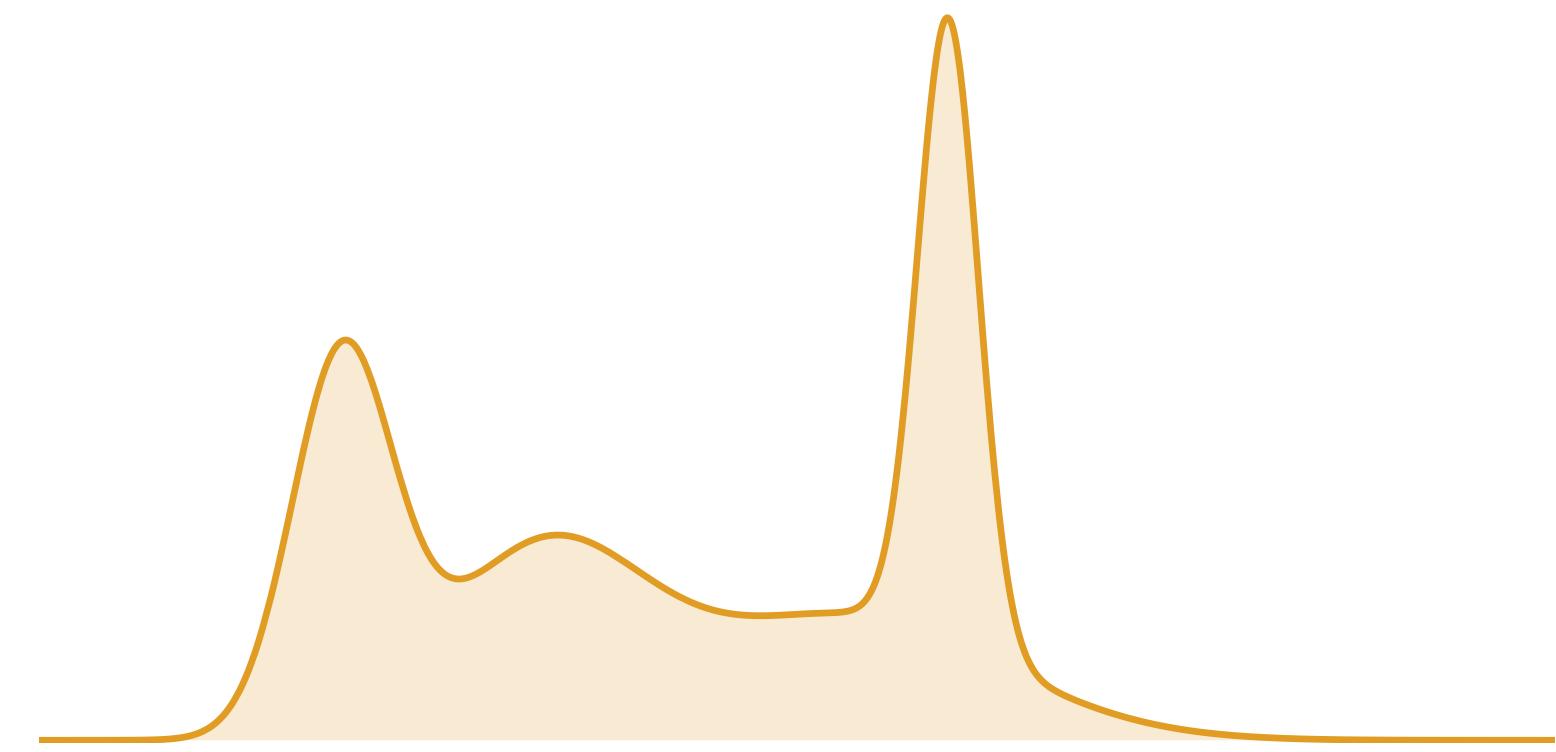
Continuous-time limit
 $\xrightarrow{\epsilon \rightarrow 0}$
 $u(z) = |z|^2/2 + \epsilon \varphi(z)$

$$\frac{\partial p(x, t)}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot [p(x, t) \nabla \varphi] = 0$$

Continuity equation of
compressible fluids



Simple density



Complex density

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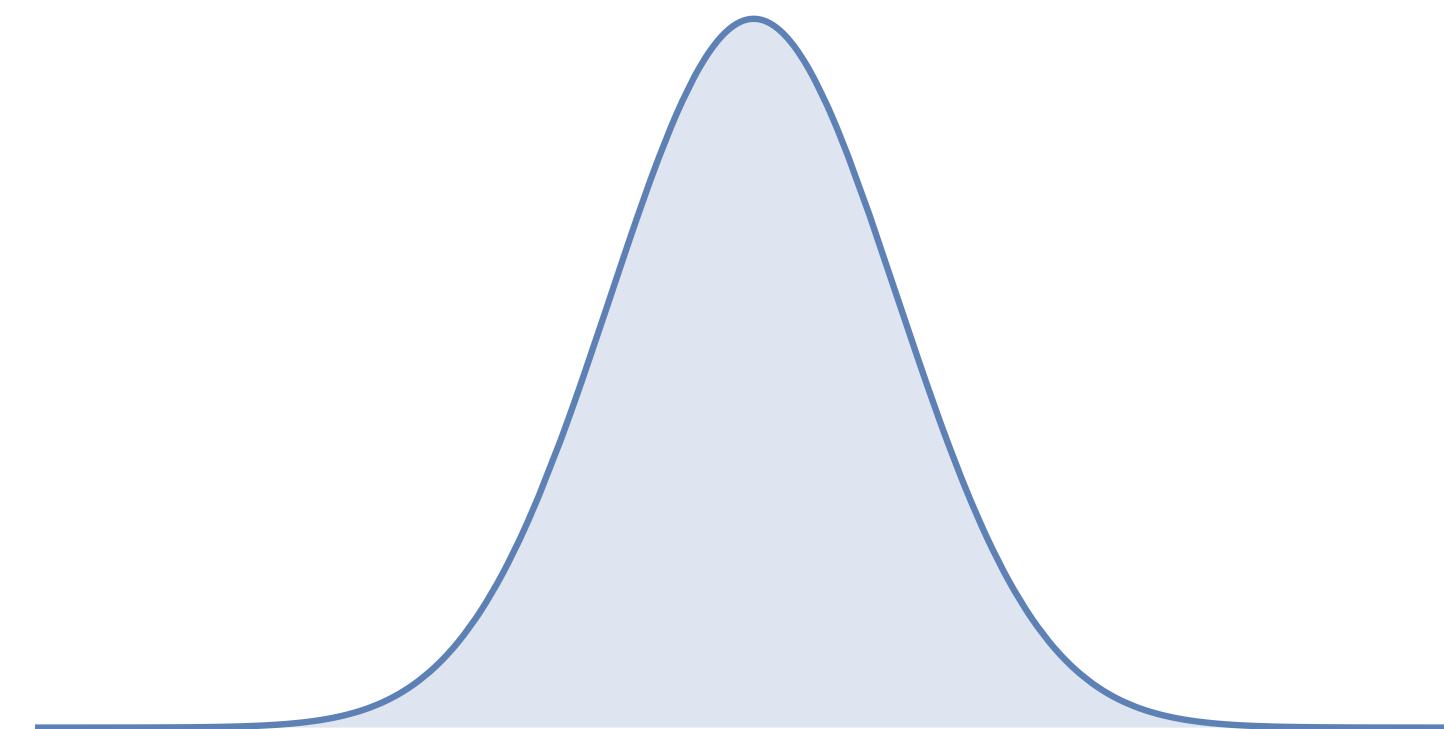
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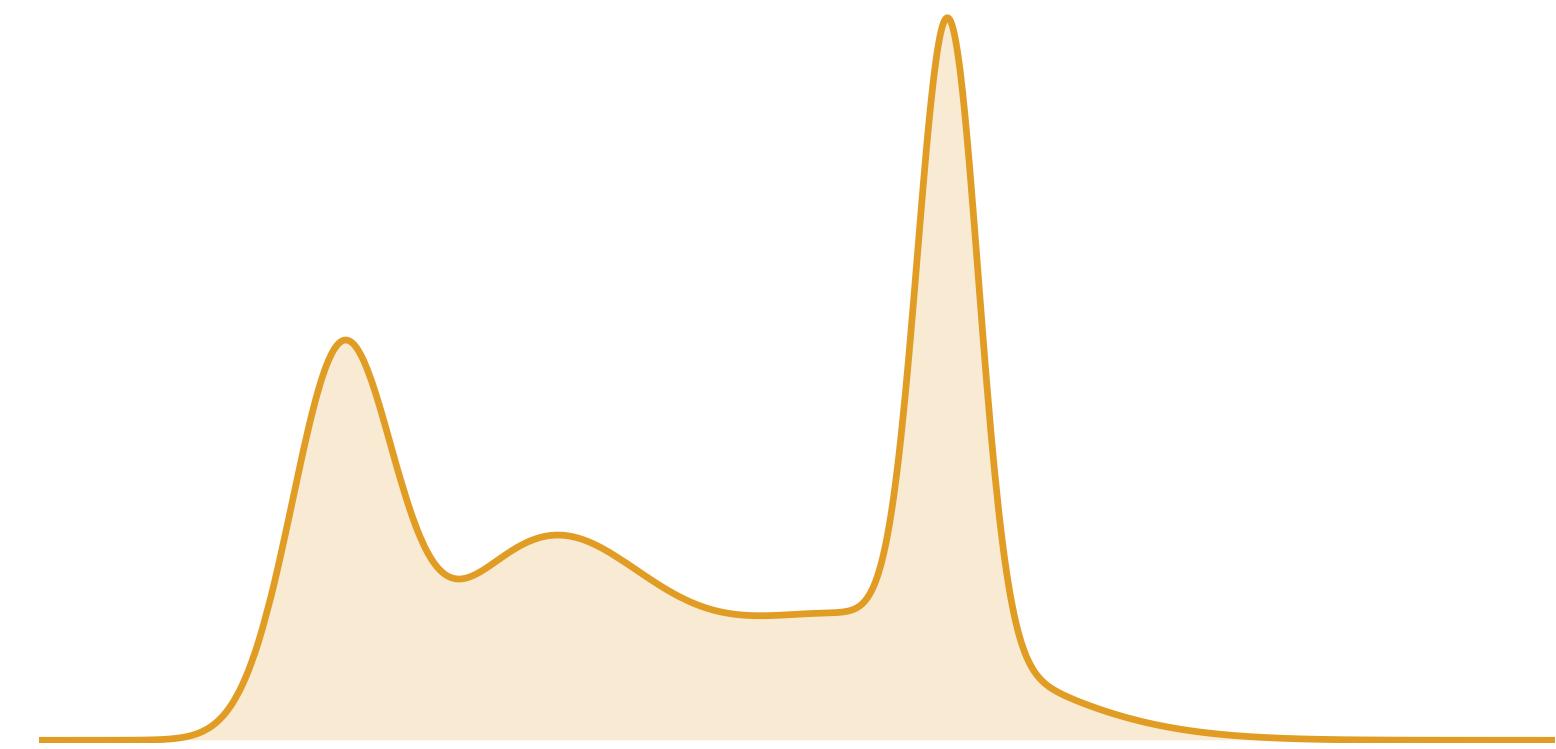
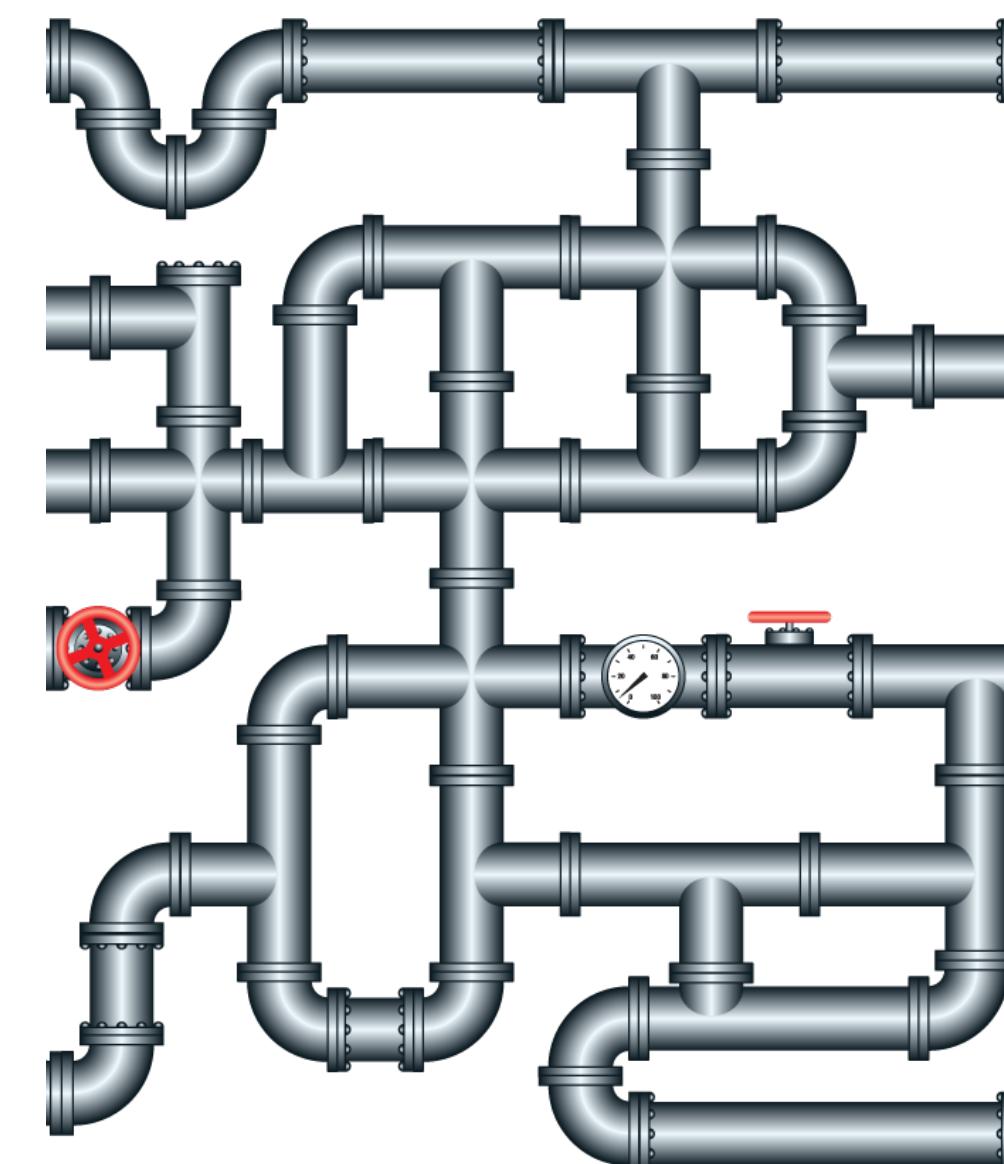
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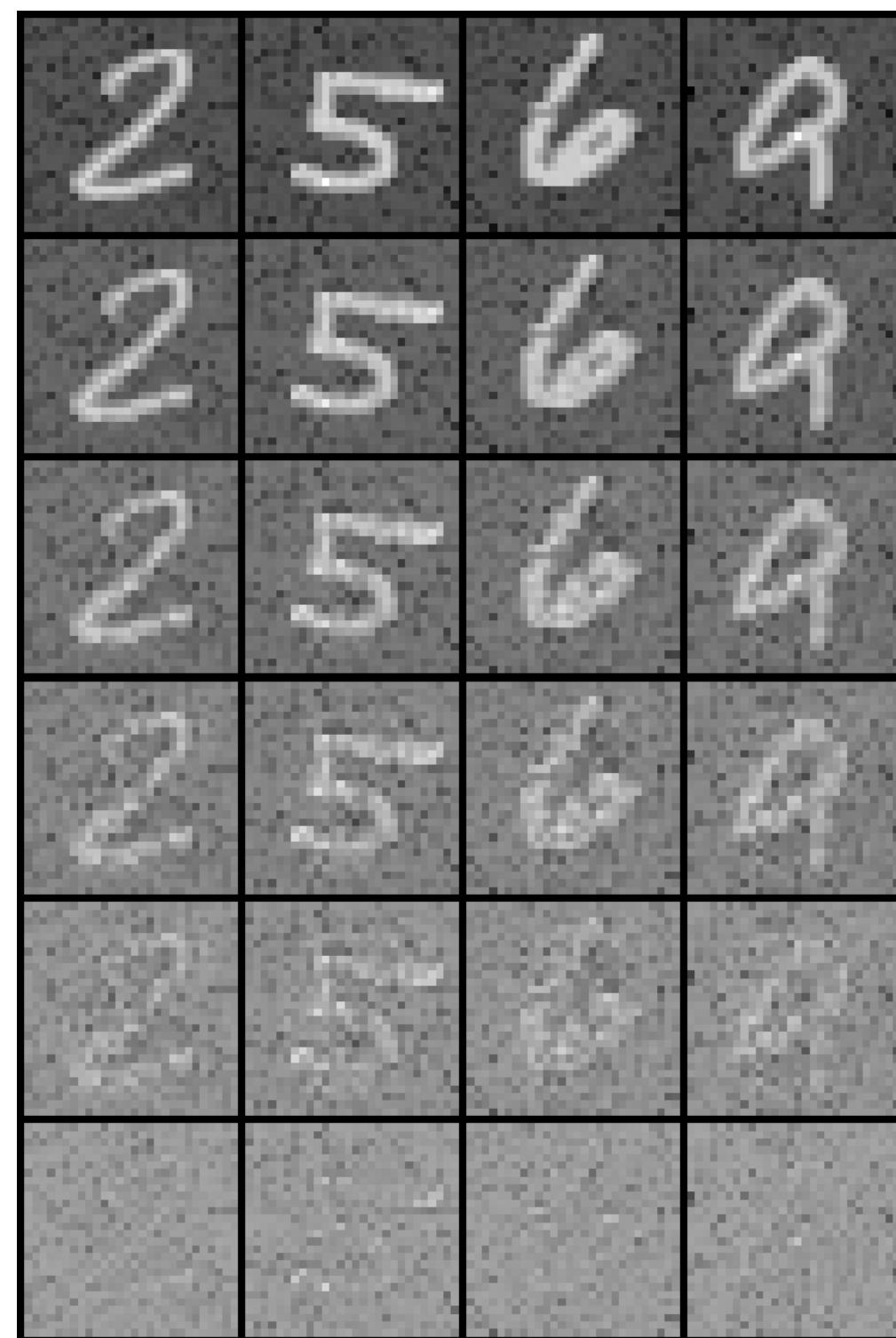


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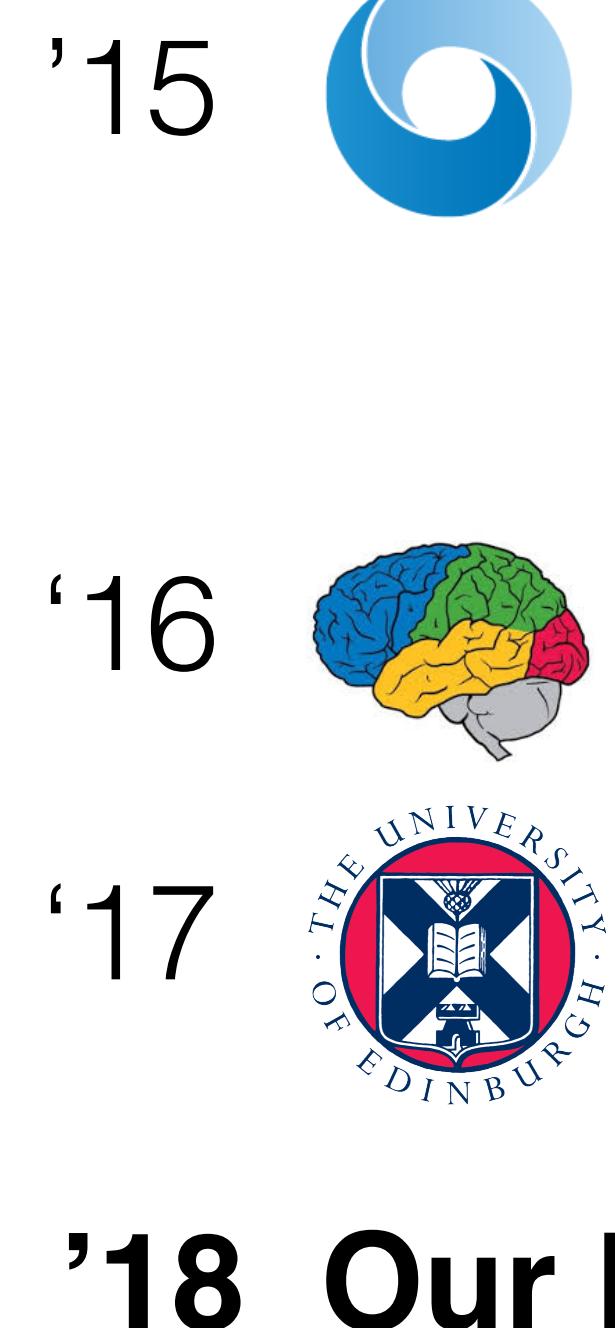
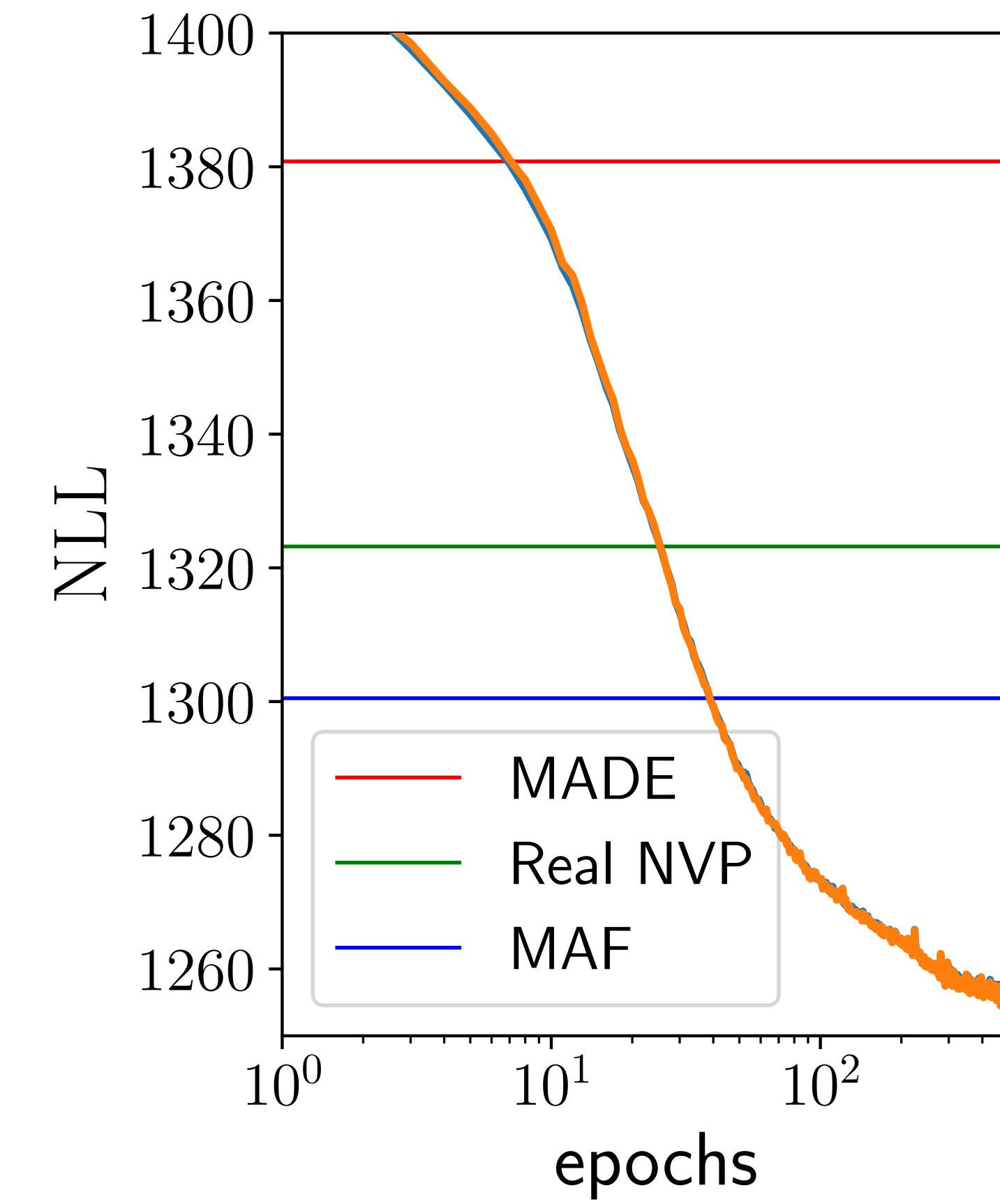
Density estimation of hand-written digits

A standard benchmark for generative models, lower is better

Data space

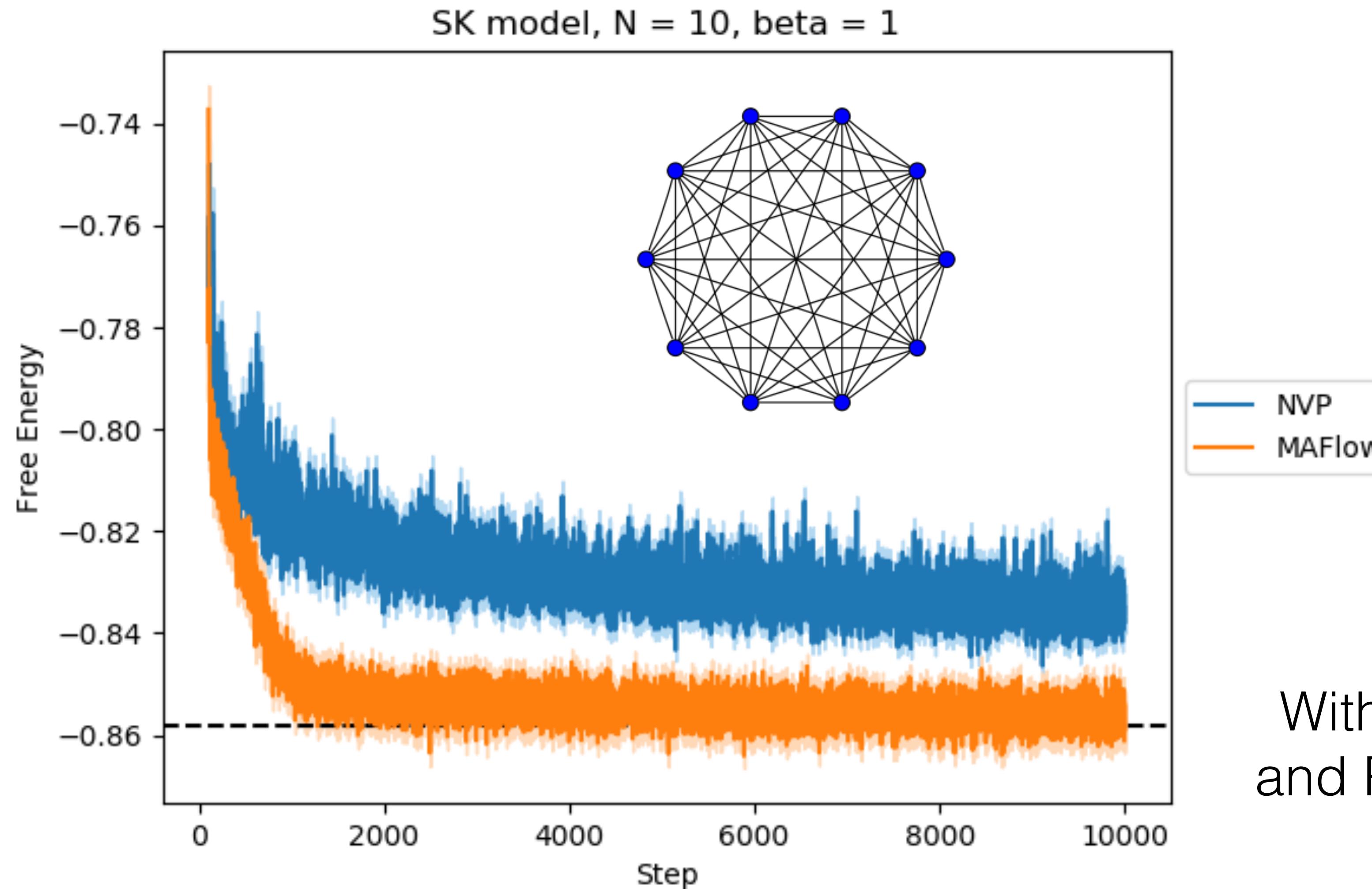


Latent space



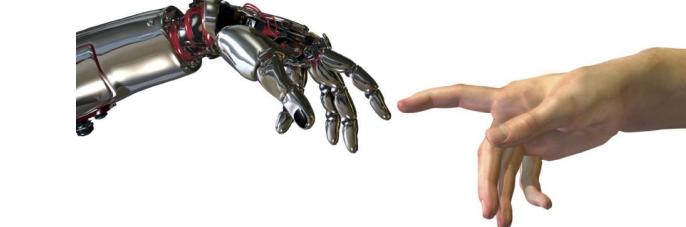
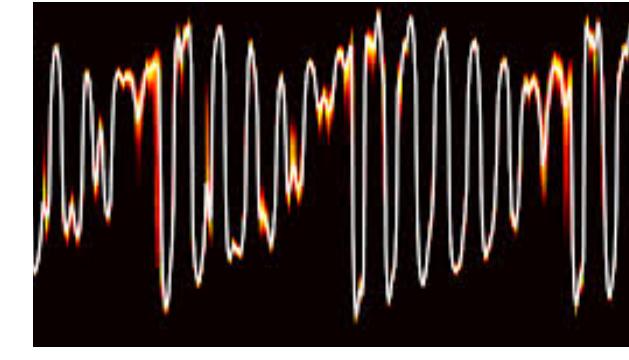
State-of-the-art performance in unstructured density estimation

Variational study of spin glasses

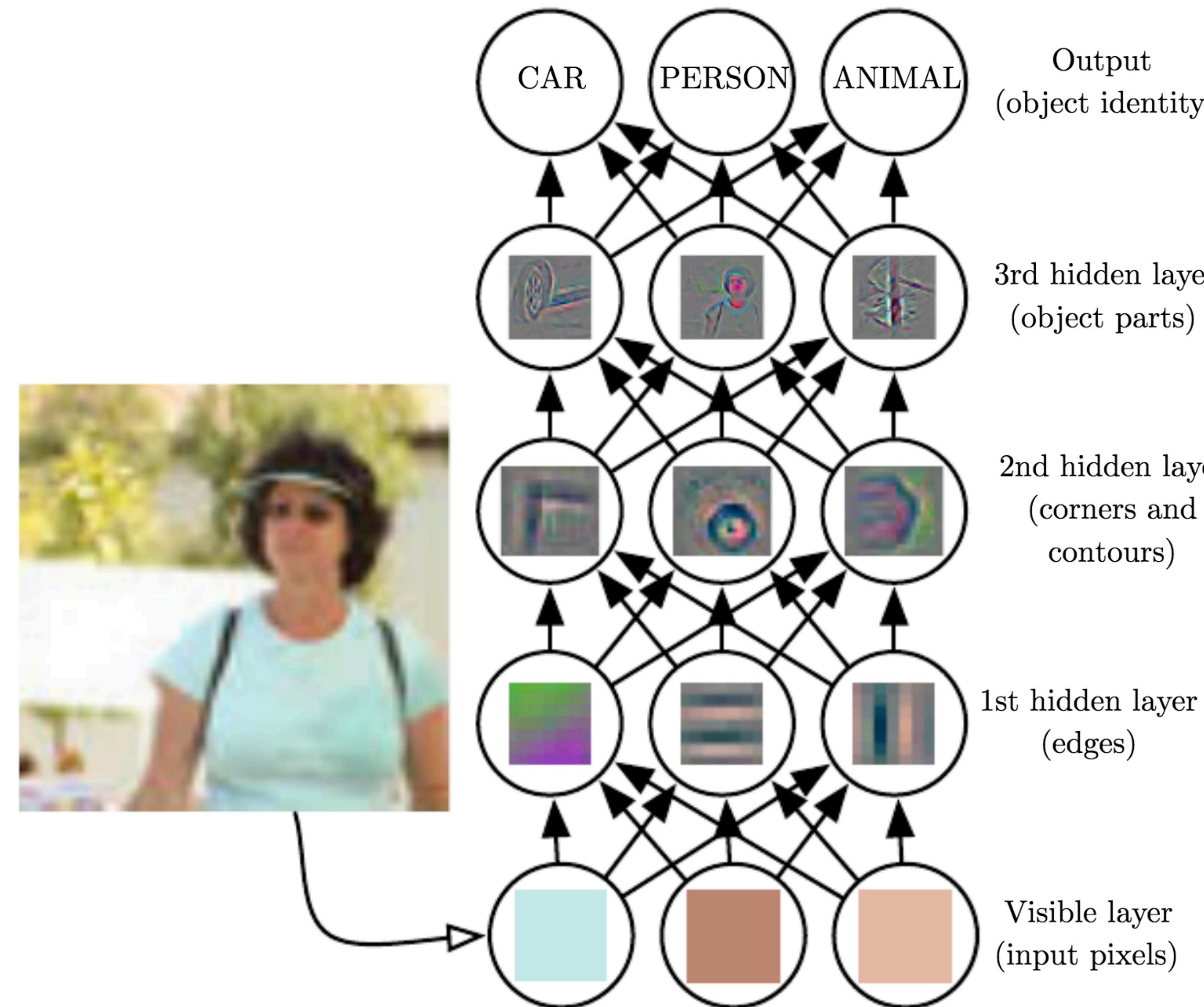


Better variational energy than previous architectures

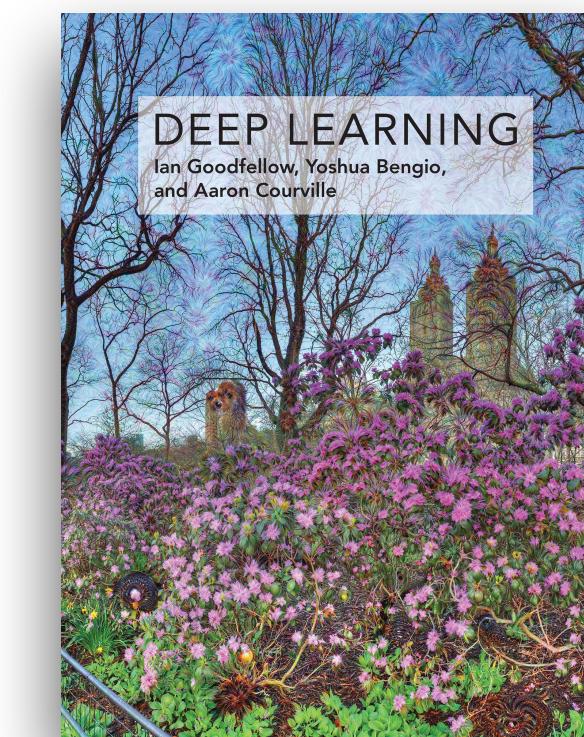
What is the secret behind deep learning?



Representation Learning

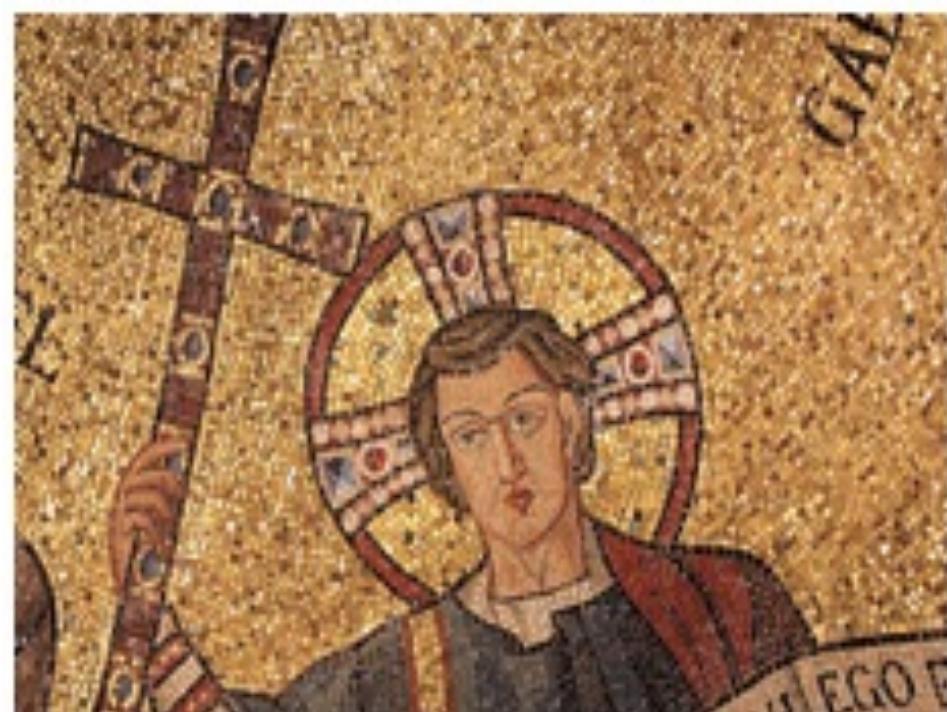


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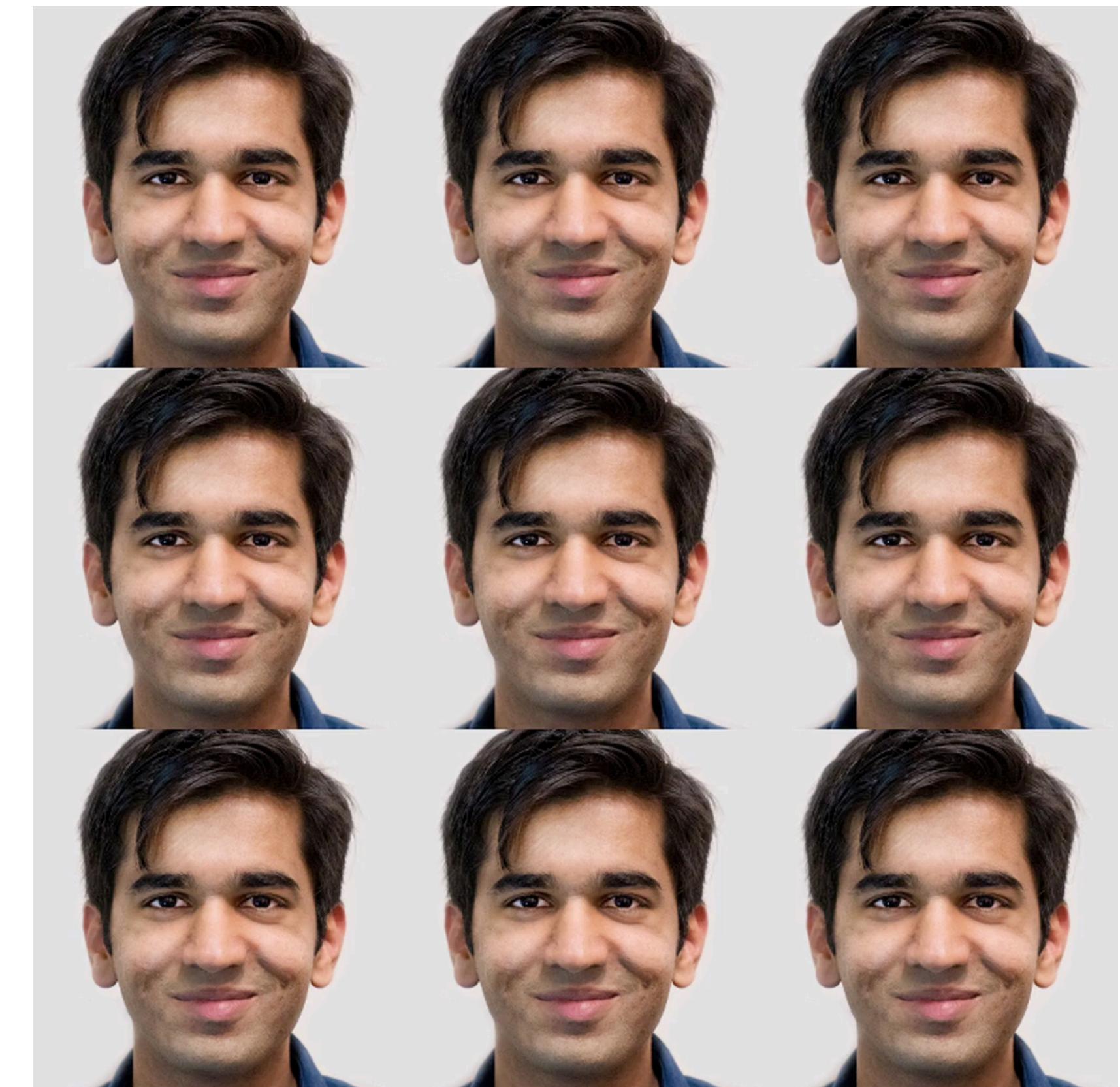


Magic of learned representations

Neural style transfer



Latent space interpolation



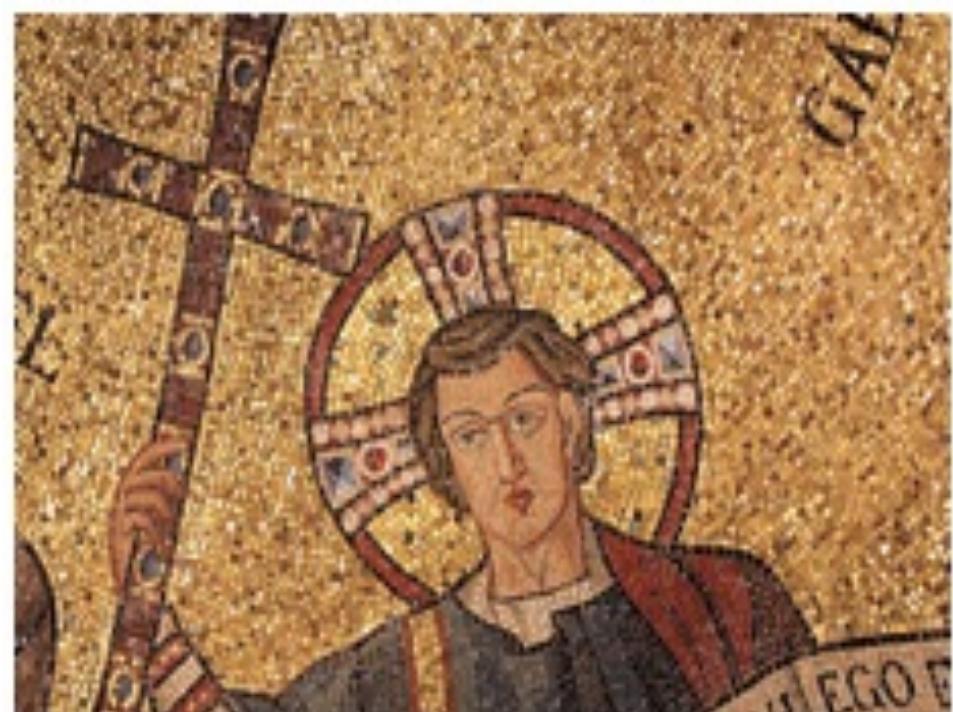
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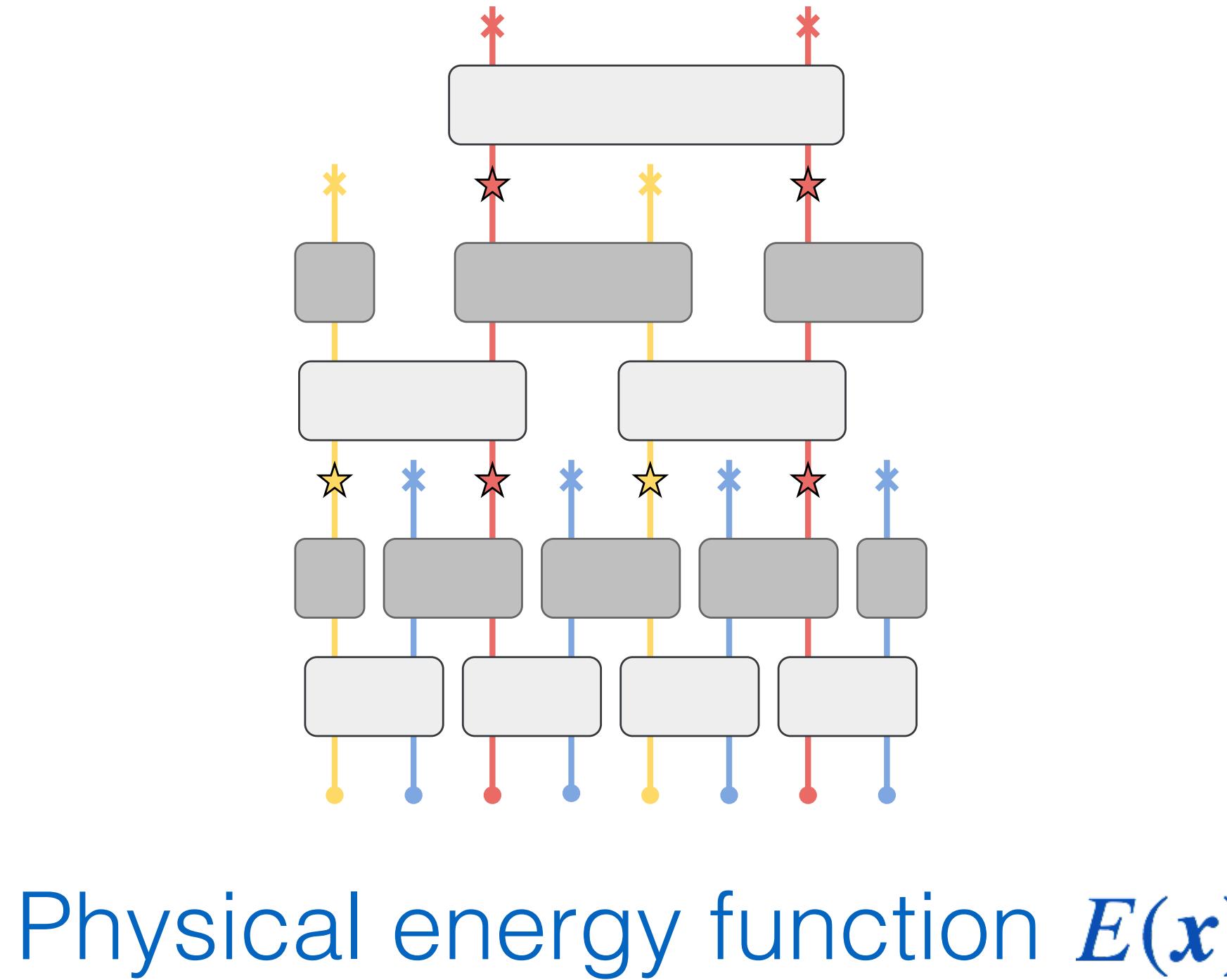
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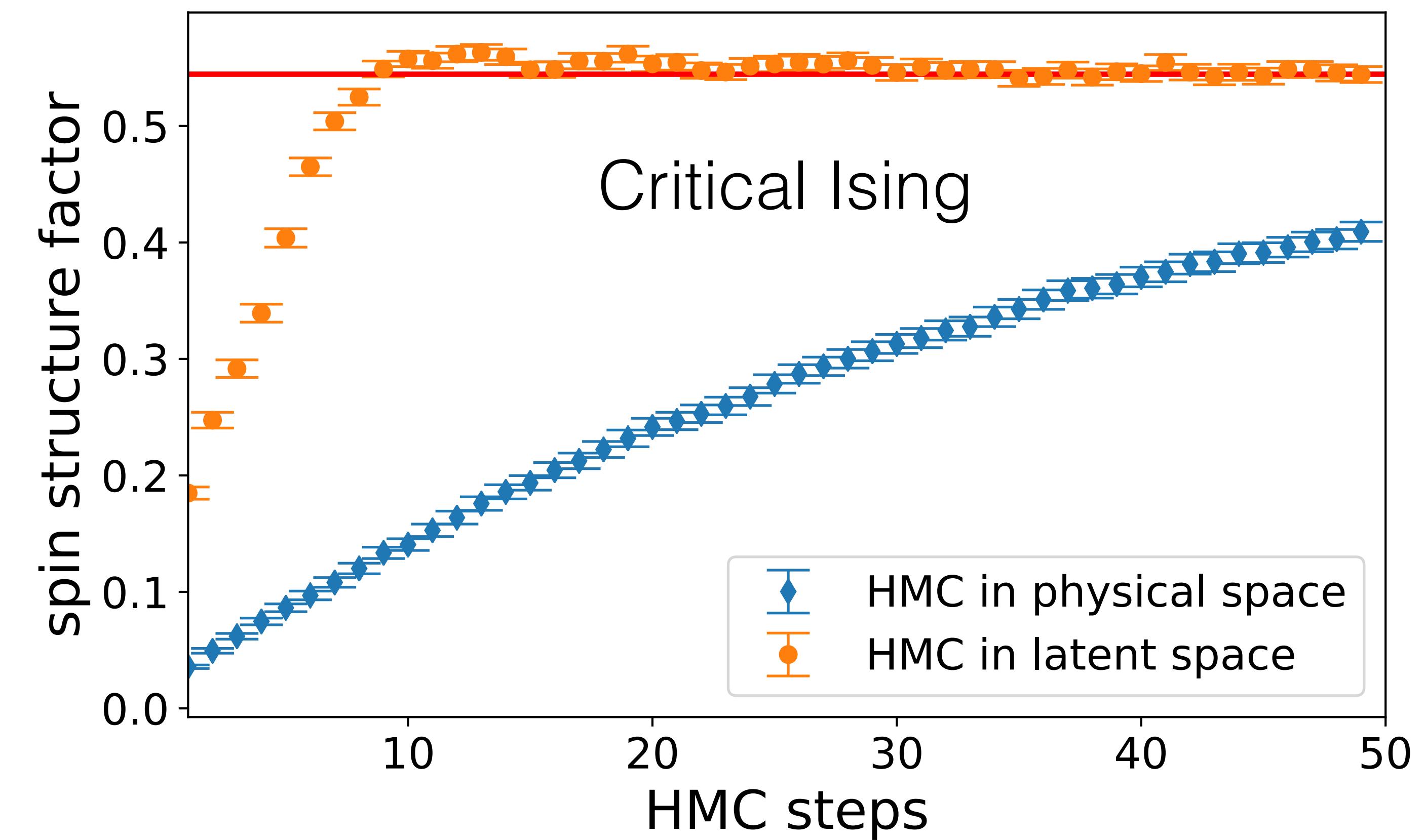
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Latent space Hybrid MC

Latent space energy function
 $E_{\text{eff}}(z) = E(g(z)) + \ln q(g(z)) - \ln p(z)$



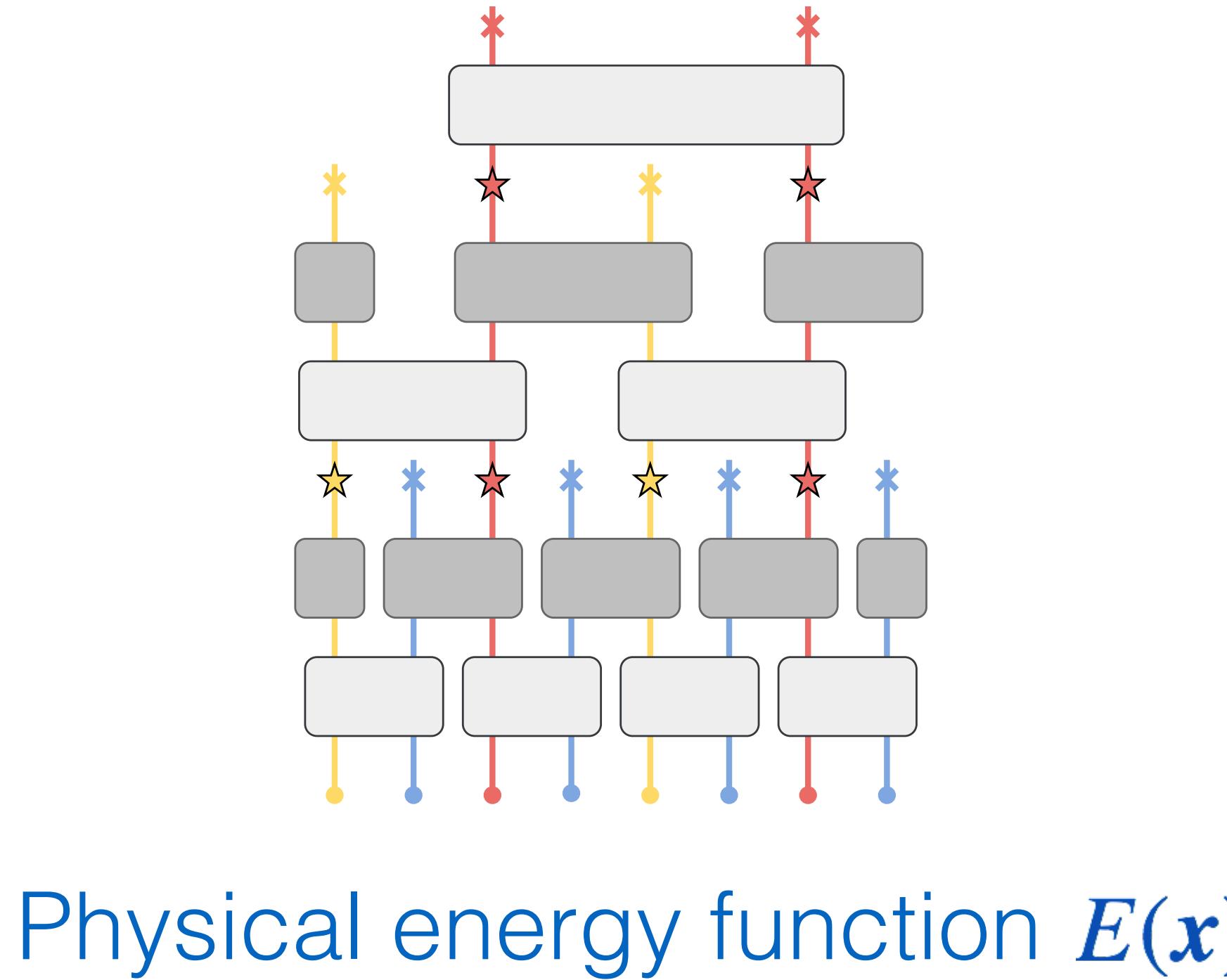
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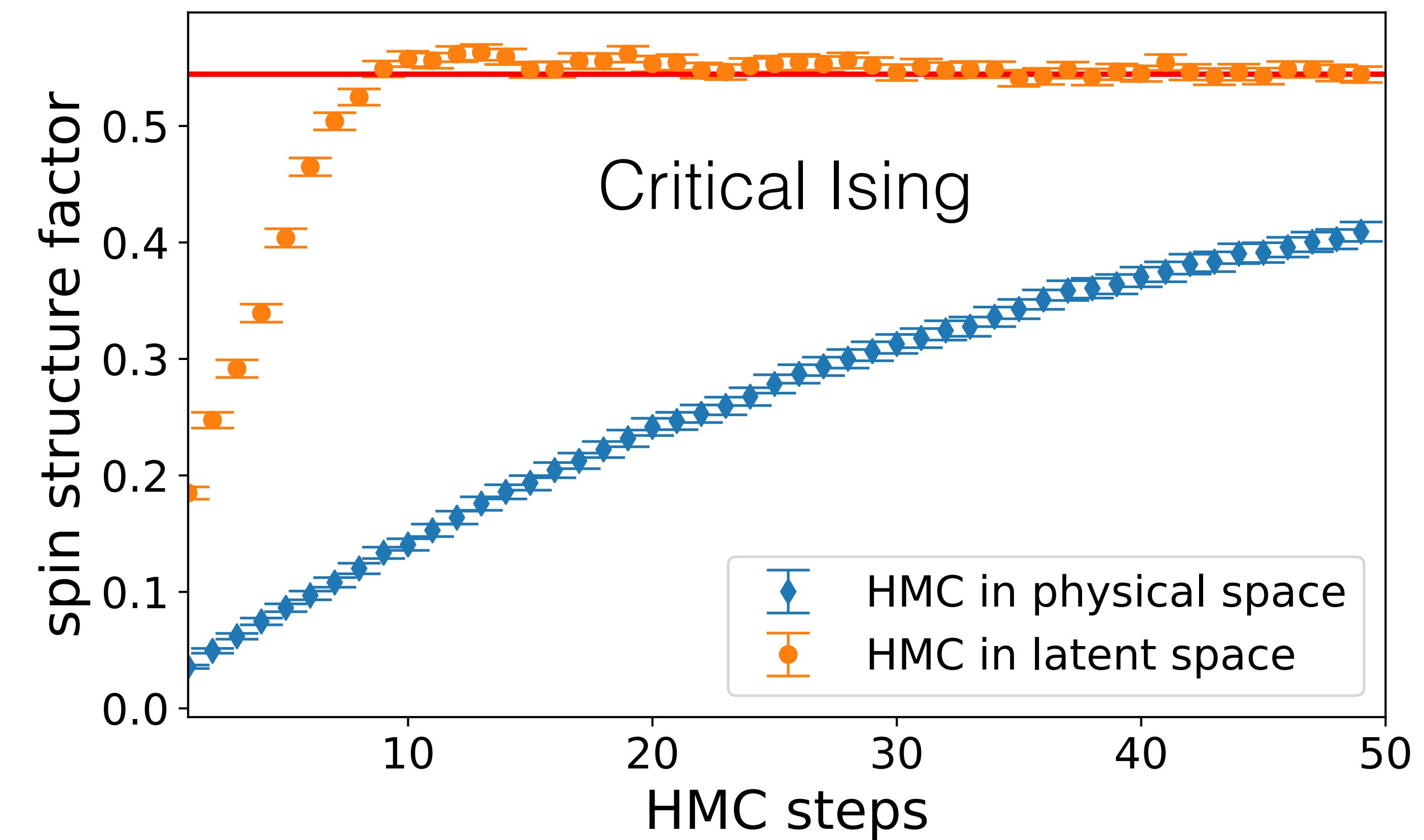
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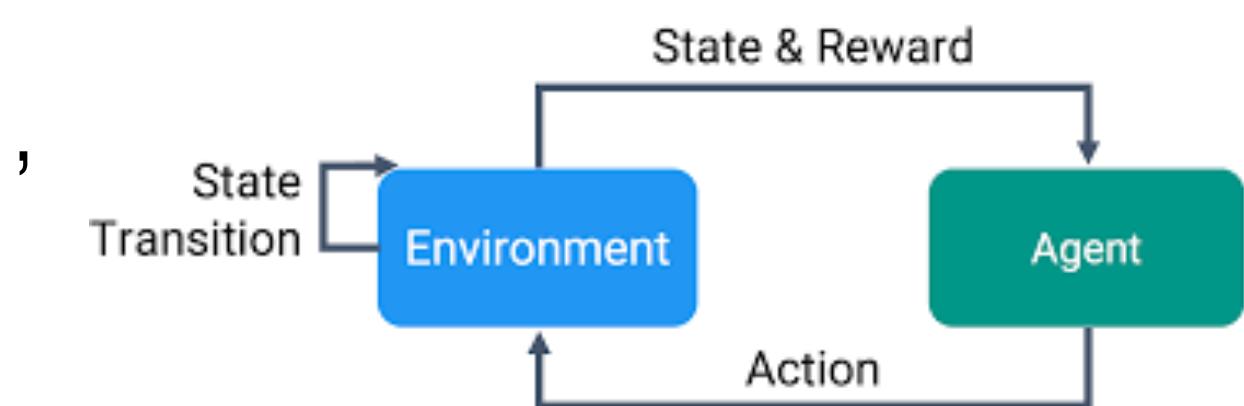
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Remarks on accelerated MC

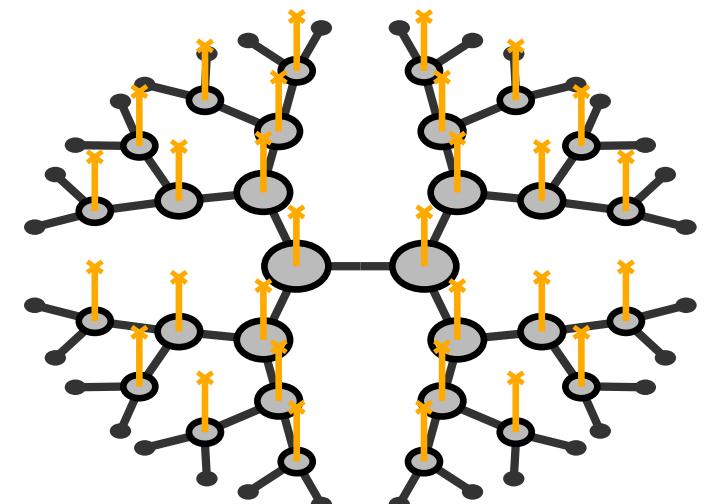
1. Cheap **surrogate function** for MC weight Neal 96' Jun. S Liu 01' **A recommender engine** for MC updates when the surrogate is a generative model: Huang, LW, 1610.02746, Liu, Qi, Meng, Fu, 1610.03137



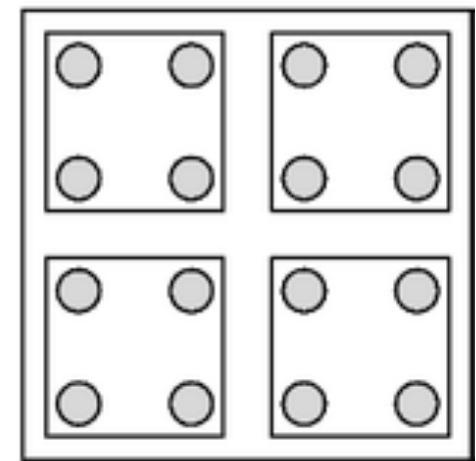
2. Reinforcement learning the **transition kernel**: Song et al, 1706.07561, Levy et al 1711.09268, Cusumano-Towner et al 1801.03612, Bojesen, 1808.09095



3. Performs MC in the **variationally learned disentangled representation**: Wavelet MC, Ismail 03' , NeuralRG 18'

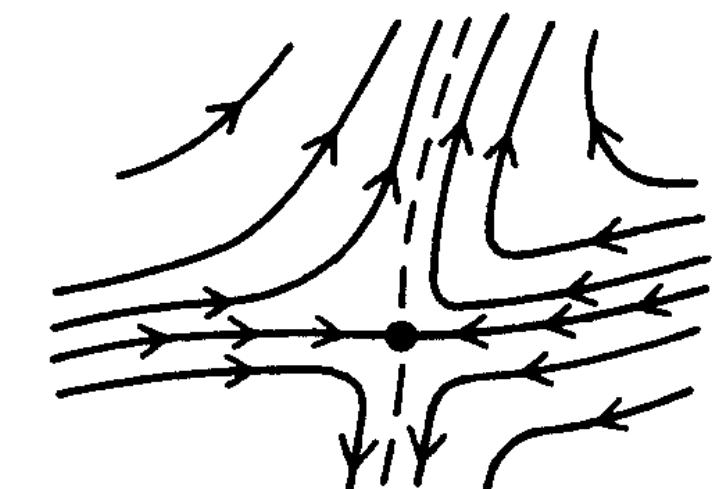


Deep learning and RG

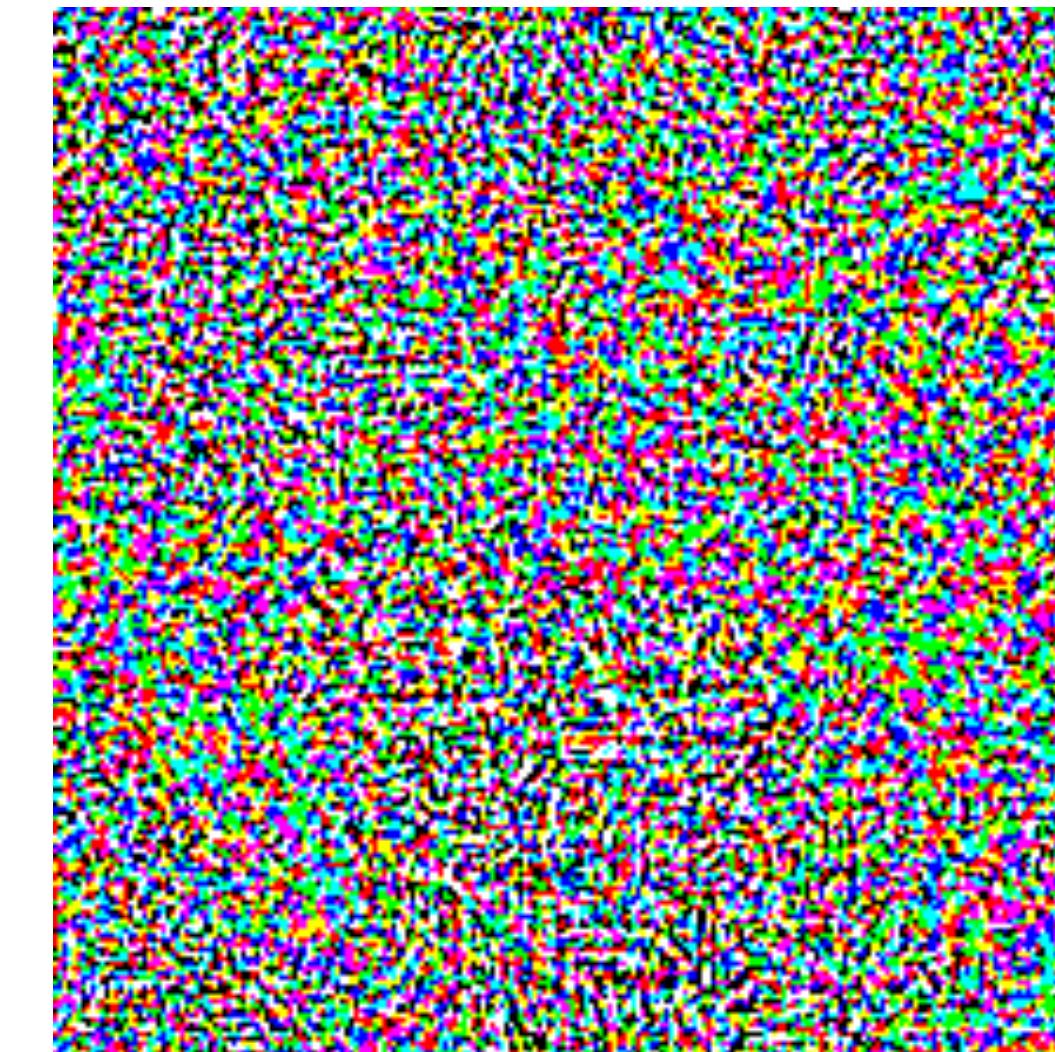


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Bény, Mehta, Schwab, Lin, Tegmark, You, Qi ...



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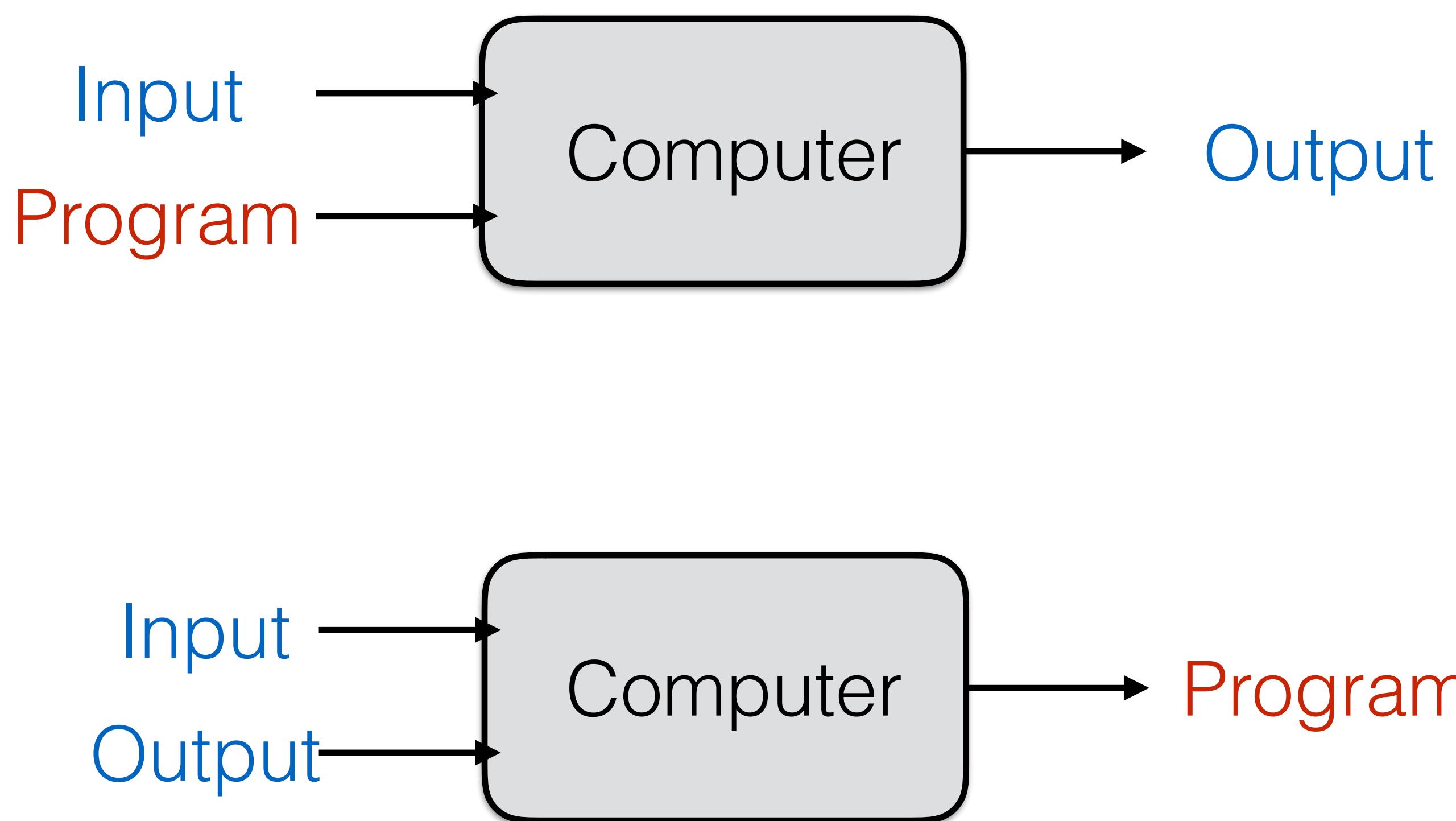
Panda
confidence 58%

Goodfellow et al, 2014

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confidence 99%

Vulnerability of deep learning, Kenway, 1803.06111 & 1803.10995

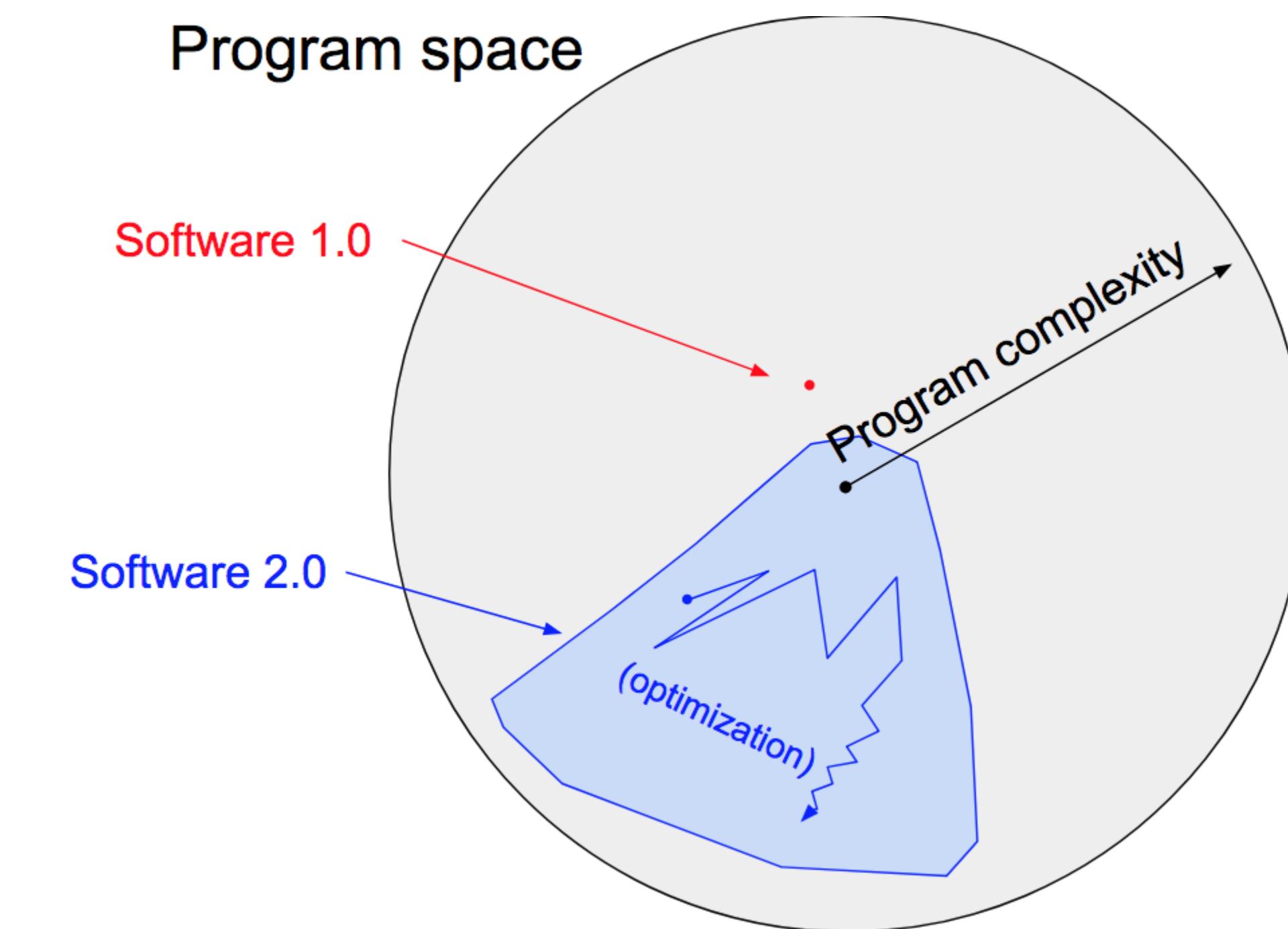
Differentiable Programming



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Writing software 2.0 by searching in the program space

Differentiable Programming

Benefits compared to 1.0

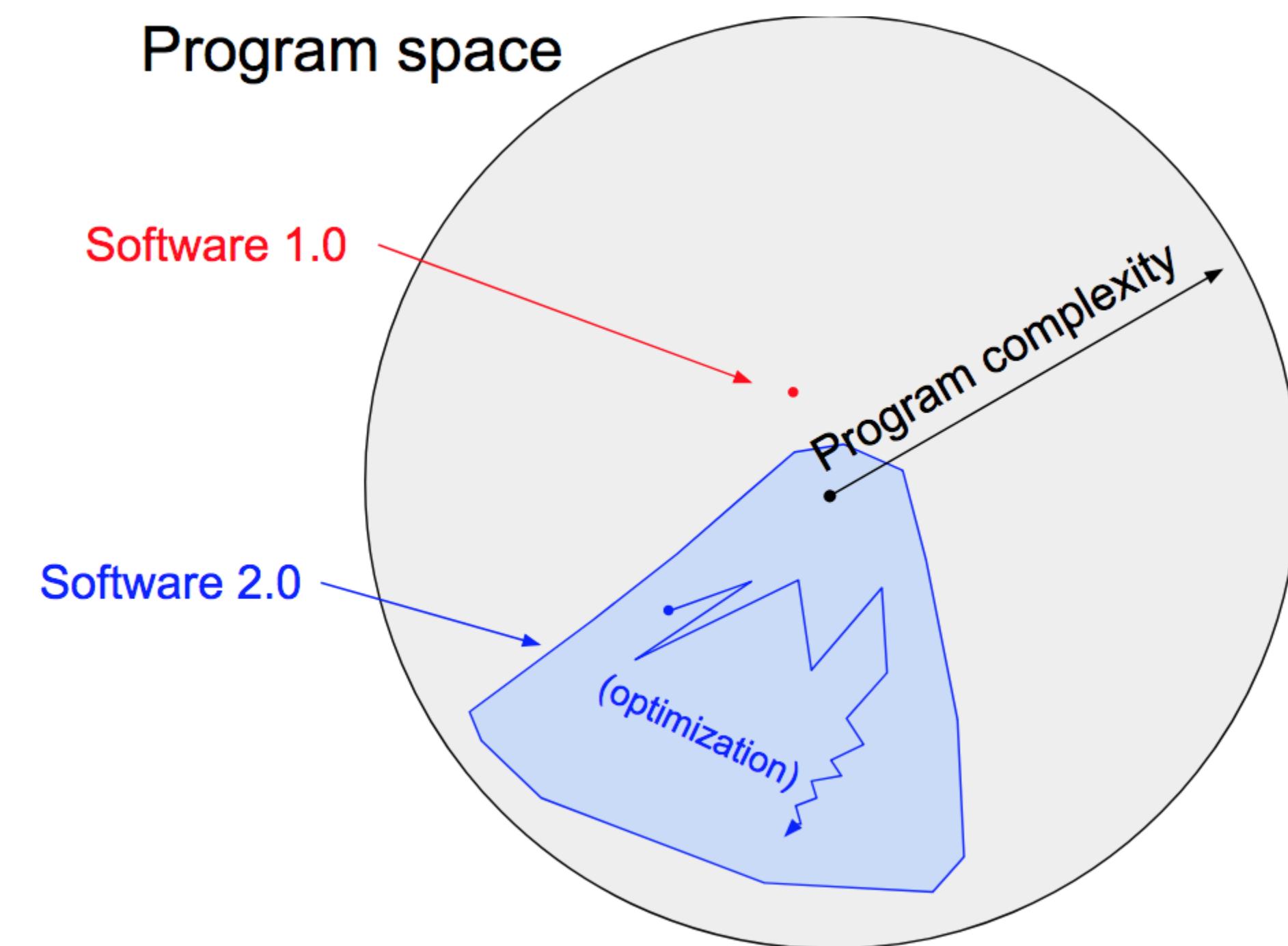
- Computationally homogeneous
- Simple to bake into silicon
- Constant running time
- Constant memory usage
- Highly portable & agile
- Modules can meld into an optimal whole
- Better than humans



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Differentiable Scientific Programming

- Most linear algebra libraries are [differentiable](#)
- Condition/Sort/Permutations are also differentiable
- ODE integrators are differentiable with [O\(1\) memory](#)
- [Differentiable ray tracer](#) and [Differentiable fluid simulations](#)
- Differentiable Monte Carlo/Tensor Network/Functional RG/
Dynamical Mean Field Theory/Density Functional Theory...

Differentiable Eigensolver

$$\textcolor{red}{A} \textcolor{blue}{U} = \textcolor{black}{U} \textcolor{blue}{D}$$

Forward mode: What happens if $\textcolor{red}{A} = A + dA$? Perturbation theory

Reverse mode: How should I change $\textcolor{red}{A}$ given
 $d\textcolor{blue}{U}$ and $d\textcolor{blue}{D}$? **Inverse perturbation theory!**

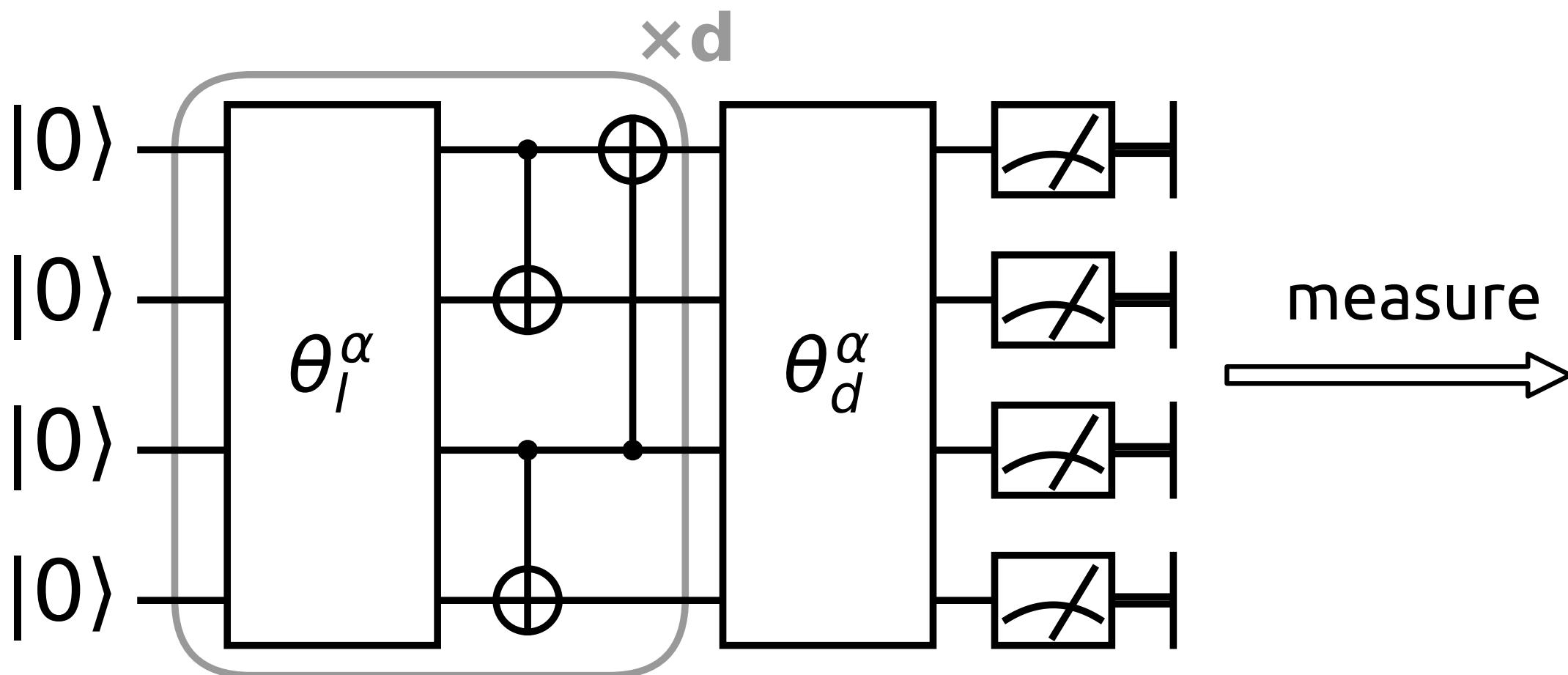
Hamiltonian engineering via differentiable programming

Differentiable Quantum Programming

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What can we do with circuits of limited depth ?



Long term:

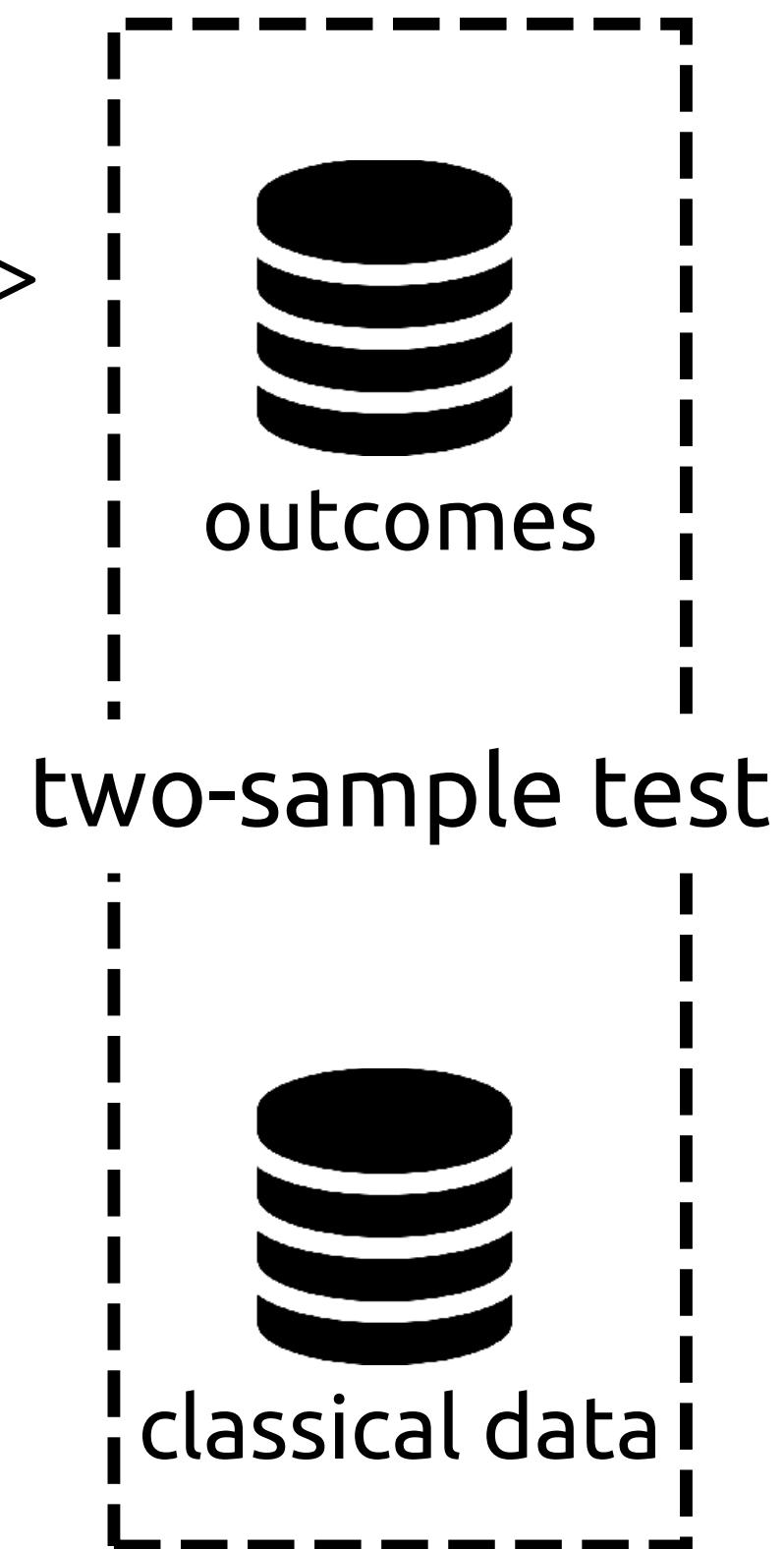
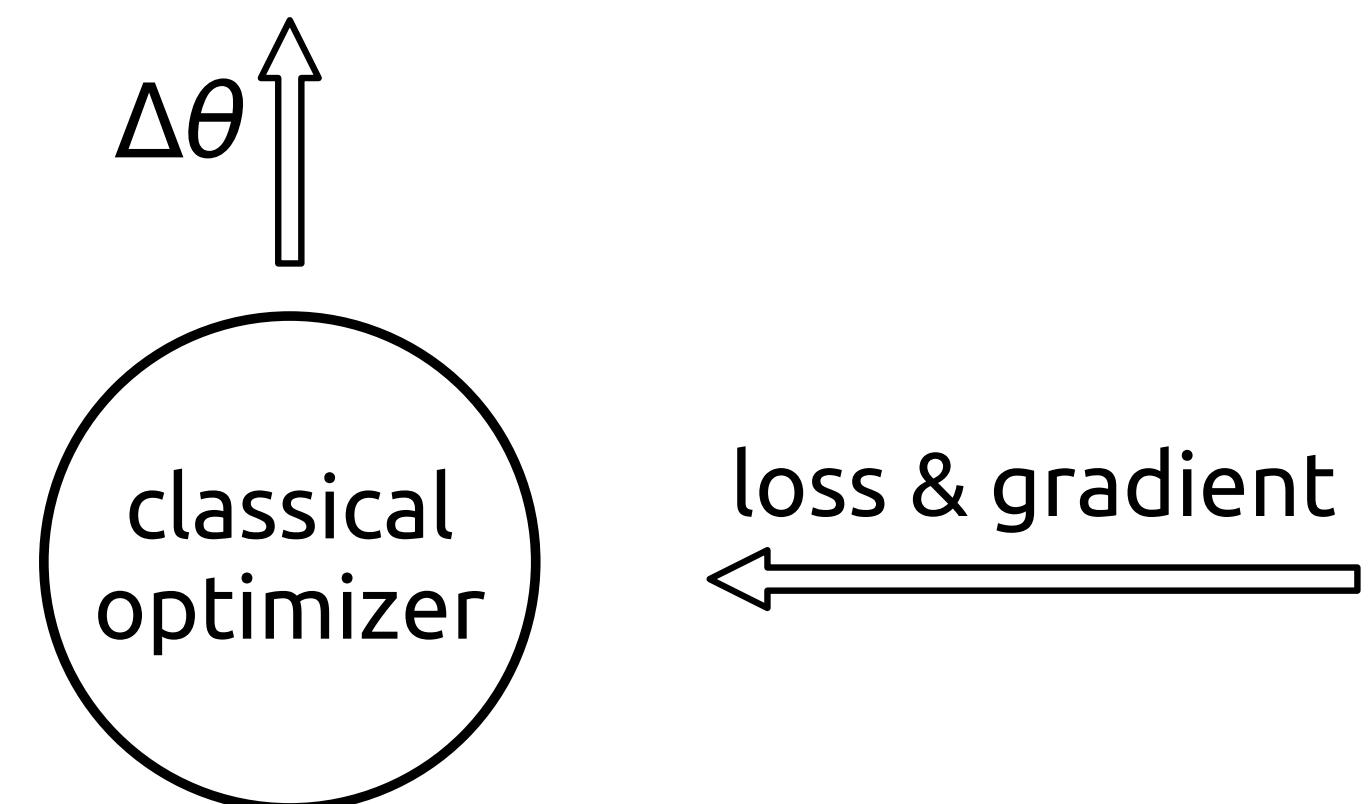
Are we really good at programming a quantum computer ?

Quantum code



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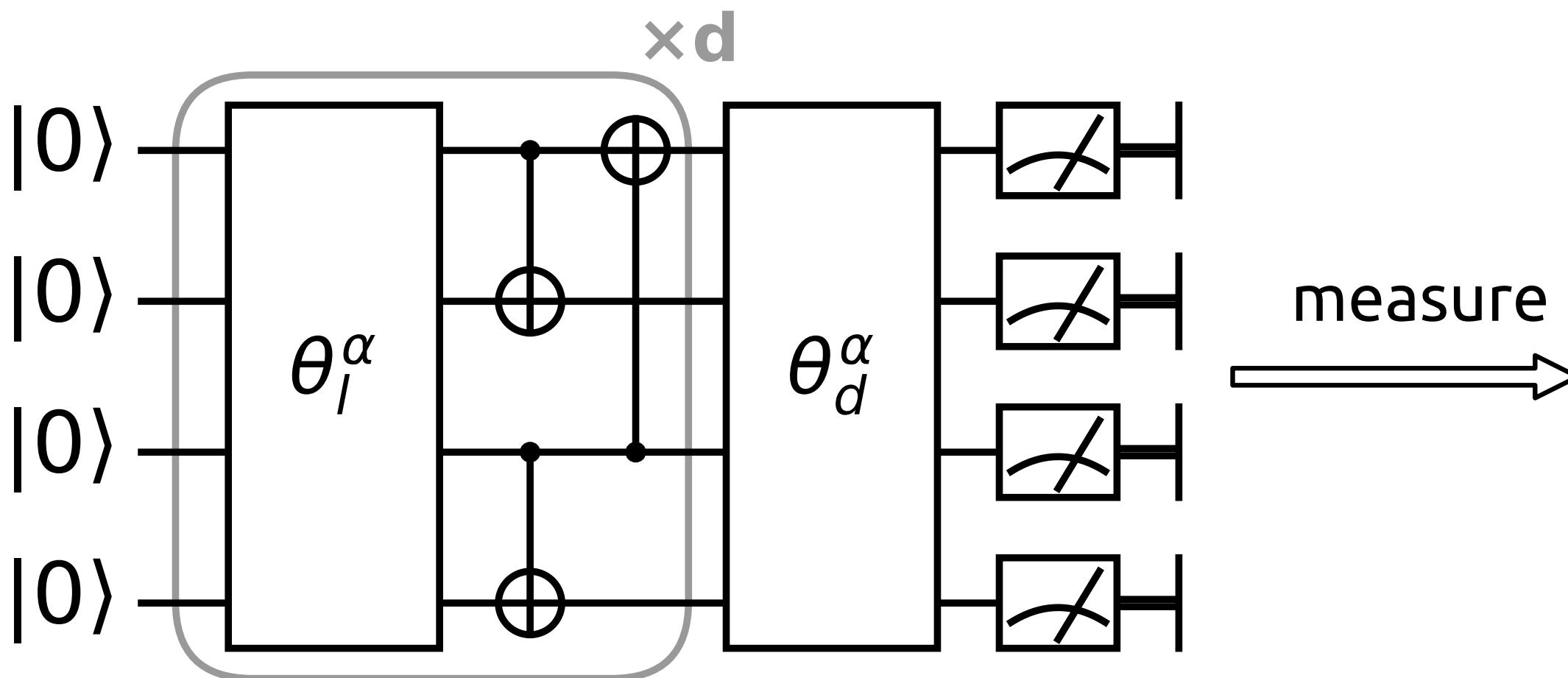


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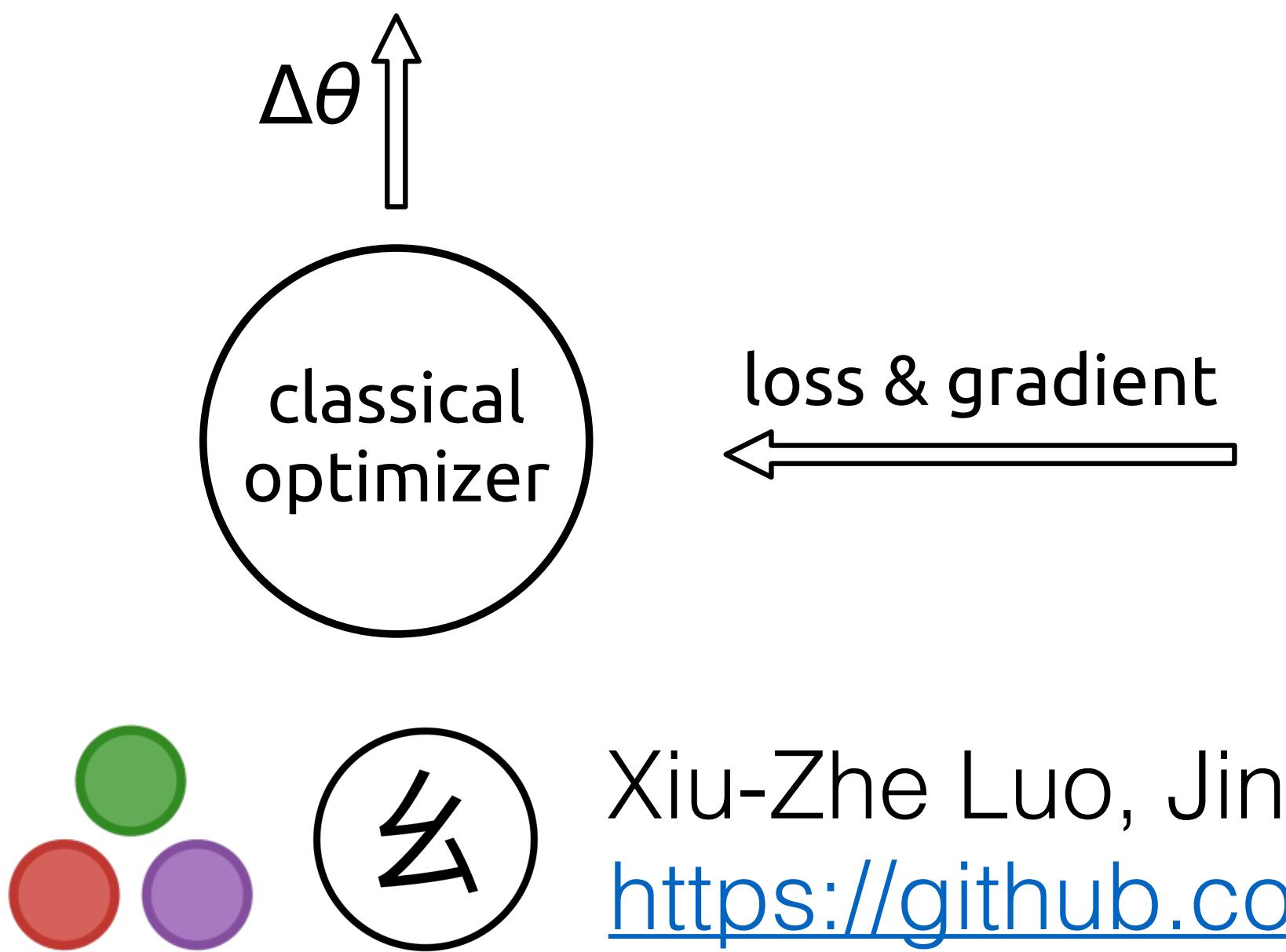
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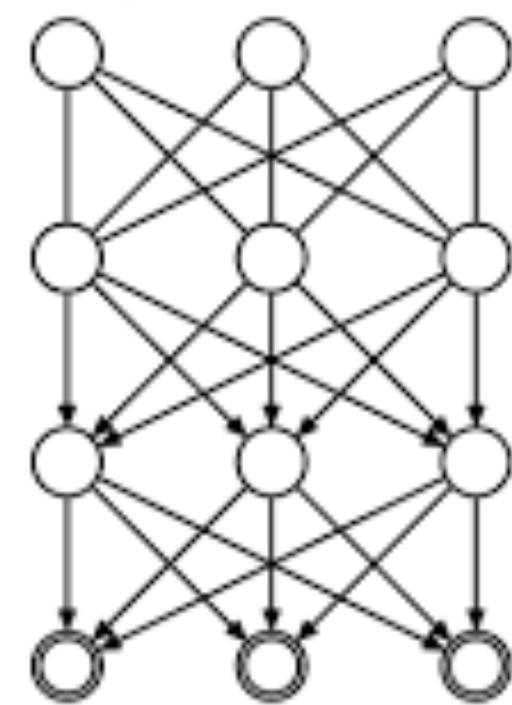
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<https://github.com/QuantumBFS/Yao.jl/>

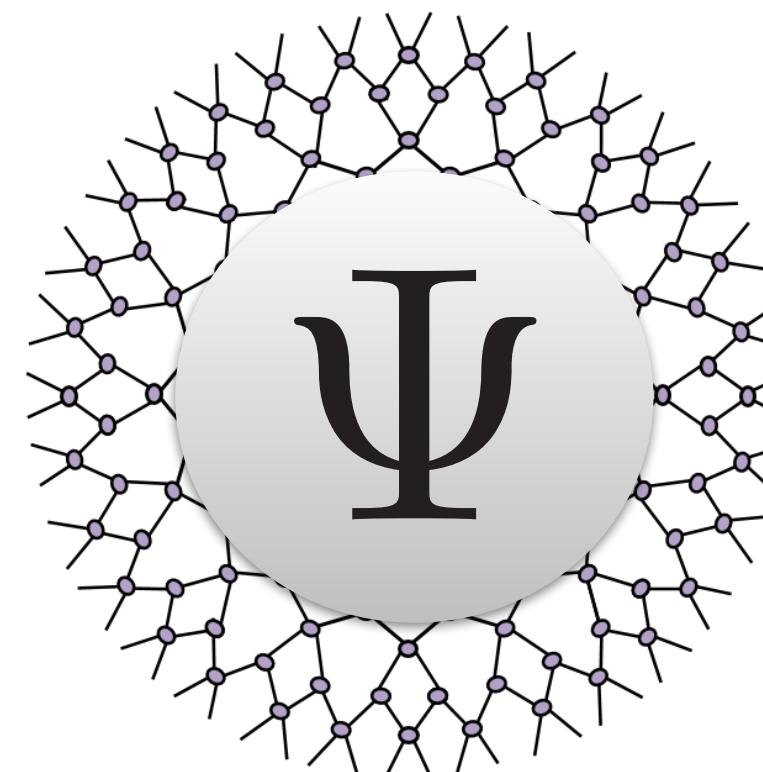
What is a deep neural network ?

Neural Net

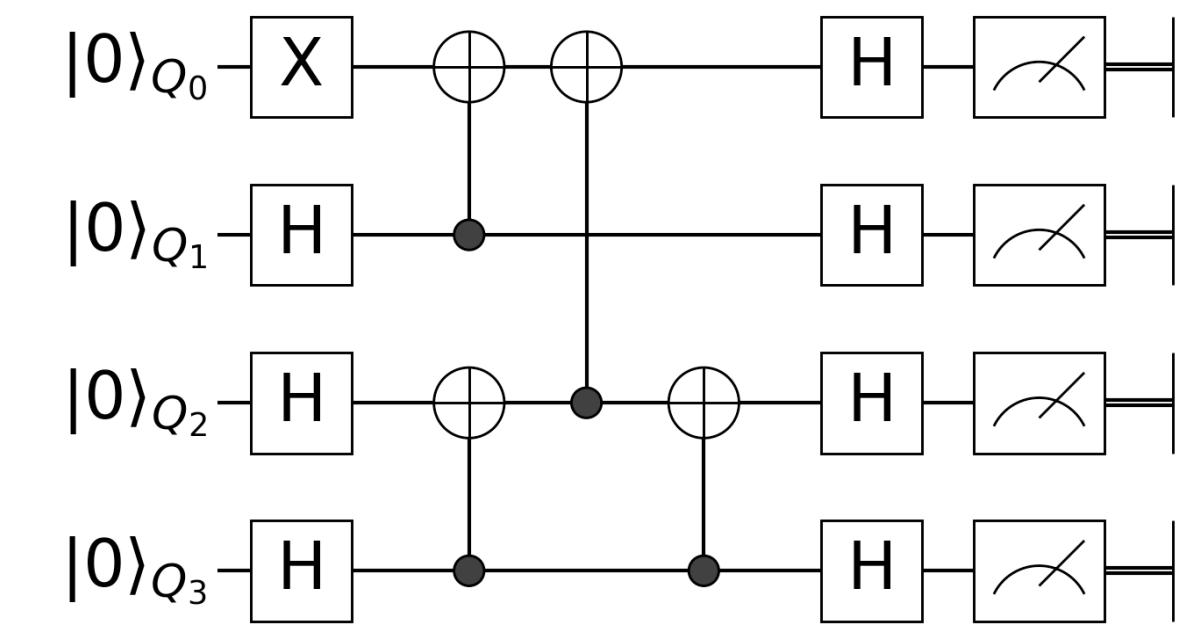


“三重境界”

Tensor Net



Quantum Circuit



1. Function Approximation
2. Probabilistic Transformation
3. Information Processing Device

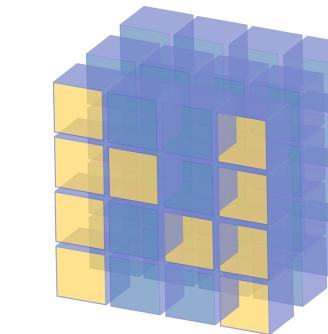
Hands on time!



<https://github.com/wangleiphy/dl4csrc>

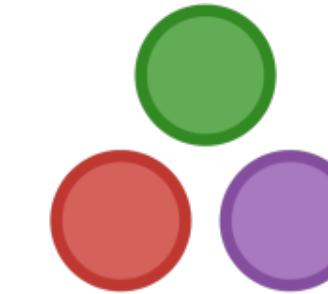
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Back propagation from scratch



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Differentiable Ising solver



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Fun with normalizing flows



Thank You!

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